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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

Serial Nos. 1-21

Major ~~Part B.~~ for June 02

SUBJECT

Sale of Malt Liquor Taverns

From the Excise Comr
No: 1306-54. 11.8.01.

Submits for approval a forms of Notif for the sale of draught foreign malt liquor Taver

Sl.2. From do— 31.8.01
W.O.
Returns the queries answered

Sl.3. From Anderson & Co. 31.8.01
W.O.
Requests to sell the Taverns by Auct

G. R. S. 58 GPB—4,000—4-7-11

Sl.4. From the Excise Comr. 1.9.01.
W.O.
Makes some observations on the st contained in the above petition.

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note

The draft notification has been submitted by the Excise Commr as promised in ~~his letter~~ para 4. (1) of his letter printed in Govt proc^s no. xx 10430-9-R.T. 119-93 dated 30th June 1901.

put up
S. R.
43-1900.

The conditions of the proposed sale notice are mostly in accordance with the conditions prescribed in the form of licence for the vend of draught foreign malt liquors (73) appended to Foreign liquor Rules, with the following differences

Pass to

(1) In the sale notice (draft) ~~the monthly~~ each month's instalment is required to be paid on the 15th or so of the month following that to which it is due, whereas in the form of license

This seems necessary as the duty cannot be otherwise calculated by the new system.—

New pipes not to be ~~duty~~ levied at the price of the ~~previous~~ vend

it is payable on the 20th
of the same month (Condition IV of
license form)

(2) For breach of conditions de-
~~the~~ it is ~~proposed that~~ a fine
of Rs 50/- for every breach
of Conditions, is proposed
whereas in the form of
license a fine of Rs 10/-
is prescribed

This seems ultra vires.

YC 11.

Instead of selling the privilege
~~by~~ by outright auction
as laid down in the Rules
Rule II (3), the Excise proposes
in his letter, that the privilege
will be given to any person
who offers the highest rate
per hogshead of the liquor
sold by him for which
deviation he gives the
reasons in the letter
under disposal

This may be allowed: Tank

That is allowed
By the Rules 11

Submitted

19/3/07

3/ It is proposed to hold the Sales this year in the Month of September.

Sd/ [illegible] 19/8/07

To 2nd Councillor

Rec'd 19-8-07

19/8/07

With the accompanying Rules I went thro' the draft Regulations with the Inspector, who has appointed the Vendors' Representatives who however were not able to convince me that the changes proposed will regulate the supply of cattle by quantity of consumption, (2) the keeping of the same after the close of the month & (3) the increase of penalty from 10 to 50 Rs, where the accordance with which Licenses from 203 to 207 are issued. I am satisfied that it is too soon necessary

27/5/01

27/5/01

Called to 2nd Cl.

I have placed
the form room at the
Office the 7th about
which you wish to have
a personal discussion
with the Excise Com.rs.
The room will be kept
open, but no Clerk
will be present during
the Recess.

27/9/01

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Re sale of Mail-bags

Questions

(1) Would not the provision change lead to a larger quantity of canvas being consumed?

(2) If so, would it not prejudicially affect the consumption of Russian and Indian?

3) If so, would not the purchasers of Indian & Russian stocks for 1901-1902 have a valid grievance they had no idea that there would be a change & have calculated to a penny

(4) Would not [illegible] suffer by having, without notice to them, to sell under present, heavy working of Corn Duty on Russian.

Re sale in the middle of the year —

Re made up sale

(1) Is not the proposed sale by hogshead advised to prevent the

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necessary framed ? 21

(2) Do so, in a manner satisfactory of the Rules to those affected by proposed application when deposited with a local superintendent or Resident ?

(3) Would not the proposed rule be calculated to prevent monopoly by merely transferring it from one person or firm to another ?

(4) Could not the object aimed at be equally well attained by rule as per rule proposed in the License form ~~which~~ attached to the Rules.

(5) Do not the rules contain matter which is more suitable to be enumerated ?

31-8-01

(4)

Re sale of Malt liquor Taverns.

My doubts are:-

Re sale in the middle of the year-

(1) Would not the proposed change lead to a larger quantity of country beer being consumed?

(2) If so, would it not prejudicia-ly affect the consumption of arrack and toddy?

(3) If so, would not the purchaser of toddy and arrack shops for 1901-1902 have a valid grievance? They had no idea that there would be a change of system calculated to affect their sales.

(4) Would not Government suffer by having, in fairness to them, to redress such grievance, to say nothing of loss of duty on arrack.

Re mode of sale.:

(1) Is not the proposed sale by hogshead opposed to Rules so recen-ly framed.

(2) If so, is a modification of the Rules so soon after their promulgation and even before giving them a trial, expedient or desirable?

(3) Would not the proposed sale perpetutate the present monopoly by merely transferring it from one person to another?

(4) Could not the object aimed at be equally well attained by sale

Re Sale in the middle of the

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Would not the proposed change lead to a larger quantity of country beer being consumed?

Yes probably: either by encroachment on the English beer - or by its own comparatively slightly cheaper price. 4 annas is the price of the cheapest English draught beer and as Rs 3 - 4. for the country beer.

English beer was sold to the bottles extent of one Cae & above in 1899-1900.

If so, would it not prejudicially affect the consumption of Arrack & toddy

It may. But as the minimum price is fixed, the influence on arrack will not be anything like what was seen in the Civil & Military Station. In the city of Bangalore it did not much affect. But beer drinkers are few there. The quantity of toddy supplied to Gold Fields is very very small.

English Beer i,e European Beer is now there & is affecting arrack; but yields no appre revenue. Placing country & Eng beer on an equal footing, the latter i,e country beer can be made to yield 5 annas & 4 pie (at 18 Rs per hogshead) + 2 anna st

of duty in all annas 24 pies
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against one anna 9 pies
obtained by English beer per gallon

They would complain probably. If so, would not the pu
but then complaint is not valid of toddy & arrack shops
in as much as they knew & knew 1901-1902 have a valid
that European beer taverns existed grievance? When they
& would exist. Supposing that their shops, they had no
English beer was sold @ 3 annas that there would be a c
& 4 pies. What would be then of system calculated to
situation? When country beer then sales.
is admitted it is quite possible
that price of English beer will be
reduced also.

There is no loss to them such Would not Government
as would be legally binding they having in fairness to
on Government to compensate to redress such grievance
for. But the connection of this say nothing of loss of d
bit of loss of duty on arrack arrack?
is a broader question and
would have to be faced sooner
or later unless Government
can order prohibition of sale
of country beer & even of cheaper
kinds of European beer.

Re Mode of Sale (6)

2 Less revenue & by evasion / encouragement / robbery of the [illegible]

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Is not the proposed sale by hogshead opposed to rules so recently framed?

Literally considering, it is for example opposed, as the lump sum payment is treated there, monthly instalments are provided for at 1/12 of the yearly sum; but the principle of monthly payment will still be adhered to in this case; the sum being regulated by quantity sold instead of the lump sum speculatively bid for.

Even if the license form requires change, the revenue involved is sufficiently strong reason to reconsider

If so, is a modification of the rules so soon after their promulgation & even before giving them a trial expedient or desirable?

Even if modification was necessary I considered it desirable in consideration of revenue involved. As an alternative even if the tavern is sold out right strictly in accordance with the present form of license, the object is gained so long as good country beer is placed on an equal footing with European beer of similar quality.

Would not the proposed sale perpetuate the present monopoly

I do not see how there is monopoly. It is allow to

the foreign licensee to sell either
European beer or country beer
paying a like sum for both without
distinction. That is all the change
in the policy & nothing more. Make
English & country beer both saleable.
Sell the taverns by competition, by
lump sum or by so much per so
much in quantity. That is all.

This is answered in the above
reply.

I forget in what bearing this
question was to be understood.
I shall refer in person when we
meet.

by merely transferring it from
one person to another?

- would not the object arrived
at be equally well attained by
sale as per mode prescribed in
the license appended & the rules

Is not our action liable to
misunderstood?

J.J.

31st August 1901

Very Urgent

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Subject-

Sale of Bucyrus Engines in the Kalgoorlie Fields

Agreement with the Dewan

I believe I sent you some of the letters on this subject about the beginning of this month & asked you to kindly have them ready for me at the conference which I intended to have with the Dewan & have since spoken to the Dewan on the subject - He has promised to look into the question when he goes to the Gold Fields on Saturday next. Herewith (1) some further correspondence on the subject & (2) File No 5 of 1895 - which contains certain letters (Col Nos 13 & 19) which should be specially brought to the notice of the Dewan as early as possible - C.

26/10/96

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Letter dated 16th. Sept. 1901 and its enclosure.

Note.

This was sent to me by Mr. Gungadhara Chetty shortly after he had interviewed me on the subject.

I spoke to the Dewan and gave him the file in view to his kindly guaging local opinion on the occasion of his visit to the Gold Fields. I do not know whether the matter was brought to his notice during that visit or not, and I am sorry I have not yet asked him about it.

This morning, Messrs Abraham, Gungadhara Chetty and Kaigondadeva Mudaliar saw me and begged me to expedite the settlement of the question.

That the two local Breweries, viz, Mr. Abraham's and Mr. Gungadhara Chetty's, are now being run on modern methods and with improved appliances, at considerable cost, is abundantly clear. An expert specially got out from England is said to have given his weighty pronouncement in favor of the beer now brewed in Bangalore, and the Madras Government has, as will be seen from its printed order of 12th. Feb. last, given practical proof of its concurrence with his opinion. The success however of

of this enterprize depends in a large measure upon the encouragement which it may receive from the Government of Mysore.

The gentlemen who interviewed me this morning assured me that the Bangalore beer as now manufactured was faultless in every way and that it was not only being largely consumed in the C. & M Station but also patronized by the Military in their canteens in Bangalore,

A couple of months back I visited the Brewery and went round its several departments with the Dewan, with the result that I was satisfied that everything possible was being done to make Bangalore beer as good as any beer brewed in India [redacted] and as approaching imported beer in excellence and inoccuousness as practicable.

I am in entire sympathy with this undertaking which I am told has been due almost entirely to the kind encouragement of the Hon'ble Col. Robertson than whom no body is more anxious that our drinking population should be afforded opportunities of having cheap but harmless drinks.

Mr. Anderson has been having it all his own way in the Fields for several years past and I do

do not think his objections are entitled to any consideration. He too saw me on the subject but he was unable to convince me that he had any real grievance.

Arrack and toddy vendors are sure to raise a howl in case we permit the sale of country beer in the Gold Fields during the currency of their present ~~#####~~. year's lease. That such beer will to some extent enter into competition with arrack and toddy and result in the diminution of their consumption cannot seriously be gainsaid. This is a contingency these men had no reason to anticipate when the leases were given them. Let us provide against this in our next Notification re sales of arrack and toddy vend farms.

I have not yet seen the protest from the Mining Board which Mr. Anderson told me they were going to send. But I am sure the Board will not object to anything which they are satisfied is unexceptionable. The interests of any single individual ought not of course be allowed to predominate over those of the public.

The sale of the right of vend by hogshead instead of by the month is opposed to the Rules, and I

I find that the firm in question are not very particular about the change, and this is exactly what the Excise Commissioner told me both orally and in writing some time back.

May I ask the Dewan for favor of early orders on my proposals which are as follows:-

(1) That the privilege of selling country beer in our beer taverns in the Gold Fields be not conceded this year.

(2) That it be tentatively conceded next year, the Notification re arrack and toddy sales being worded accordingly so as not to give the arrack and toddy vend farmers any room for complaint.

(3) That the price of the privilege be regulated by a monthly rent and not by hogshead.

The above proposals are based upon the assumption that the Hon'ble the Resident and the Mining Board are satisfied that the beer now brewed at Bangalore is superior to the vile stuff to which exception was rightly taken some years back.

To what extent this departure would affect our revenue from arrack and toddy, is a most important question. I am assured that the effect would not be as

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as highly prejudicial as is apprehended and that what we might lose in arrack and toddy we are sure to gain in beer. This is a point on which we are naturally not immediately in a position to form a decisive opinion. We do not however run any serious risk by giving the country (Bangalore brewed) beer a trial for a single year at the end of which we would be enabled to form a final opinion in regard to the effect of this tentative measure on our Excise revenue.

Bangalore
27.11.1901 } Sd/ C. Sreenivasangar

Submitted to the 2nd Councillor agreeing with the Diwan's note
8/4/902

The question now seems ripe for decision. A Resolution in accordance with the above lines may be desirable before trial orders are passed

have asked the Secretary to meet me at the Public Offices on Monday afternoon next - Vide copy of D.O attached Please see that file on my table in the office accordingly together with a draft of an amendment to the Rules on the subject of double letter headed notepaper & envelopes -

11/4/02

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Submitted,

The amendment referred to is shown in a slip attached to the accompanying copy of Rules

14/4/02

14/4/02.

I have discussed the question with the Attorney General & the result we have arrived at the conclusion (1) That there should be two classes of Gold Fields Certificates as at present for the

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sale exclusively of
foreign manufacture;

(2) That these licenses
~~must be~~ should be
sold by the month
and not by auction;

(3) That the sale
of country spirits
also should be allowed
not be ~~prohibited~~;

(4) That the sale
of opium should not
be allowed;

(5) That in addition
to these licenses, provision
should be made for
the opening of two
country liquor taverns
in and about the
Kolar Gold Fields;

(6) That these shops
be sold by auction
the upset price
24 rupees per annum;

(7) That the keepers
of said shops should
be of approved
character and
quality;

(8) That no person
to whom a license
should not be

allowed to Purchasers for the Licensing Sessions;

(9) That in the case of these Licenses the Oath of Qualification should be taken at the first Meeting of the following Month;

(10) That the Retail Price should be a fixed Price of Rs 1 — 4 — " per Gallon;

(11) That in the case of both Descriptions of Licenses, the Price of Retail Duty of two Annas per Gallon should remain unaltered;

& (12) That the Bidders at the auction taken of Toddy and Arrack will no Meaning not already Provided for but that nevertheless in view of the fact that Complaints have at times been made for the first time mentioned to be taken in & about the Fort (or within the Limits of the Town) by the Queen's Peons at the time of [illegible] Sales =

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The Secy would please send a copy of this note to Mr Kennaway with a request that he will kindly send us as early as possible official modified proposals regarding the changes and additions desired in the existing Rules & Forms

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15/4/02

Please add that ~~early~~ arrangements for early intimation to the holders of Assets & Liability Sales have been made — C

~~Early~~ Today. 15/4/02

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Recd 6.15 PM. 15/4/02 attended to 15/4.

Dec. passed on 16/4/02

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(Office note continued)

as directed above

a copy of the 2nd Councillors note was sent with a D.O. to the Excise Commrs. The draft notices now sent for approval and return ~~have~~ contain the necessary conditions so as to suit the proposal (now made) together with the suggestions of the 2nd Councillor duly embodied.

With regard to para (1) of the Councillors' note the Excise Commrs. say that there is only one draught foreign mail-lighter-tavern at present in the Polar Gold fields and not two as the draft notification accordingly makes provision for the sale of one tavern.

As regards para (11) duty is, ~~under~~ on mails & foreign mail liquor

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In the matter of notice being given to the arrack and toddy shop-keepers at Gold Fields (para 1 of the note), the publication of the sale notices in the Gazette & circulation of spare copies of such notices would be sufficient warning to the intending bidders of arrack & toddy shops, the sale of arrack & toddy shops at the Gold Fields being fixed on 10th & 12th May 1902

The Excise Commissioner encloses draft notices that after these are approved by Govt, draft notifications proposing the necessary amendments to the Rules (Beer & Foreign Liquor Rules) will be submitted

The note since

KG
24/4/02

Received with the Excise Comm^rs D.O. letter of the 29th April 1902 giving detailed explanation for all the alterations proposed.

While the notices are approved the Excise Comm^r will be asked to submit the draft notification for amending the Rule.

24/4/02.

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Secretary.

Read 25-4-02

Approved - The draft Notifica tion promised is awaited. C.

26/4/02.

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(note continued)

The draft notices were approved returned with prof^s no. 456-57 dated 29th April 1902. If approved the Excise Comm^r will be written to

Sec. 3-1907

THE
Kolar Gold Fields News.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, APRIL 30, 1902.

Introduction of Country Beer Taverns on the Gold Fields.

WE learn with regret that, the Dewan and the Excise Commissioner in Mysore, have, in spite of the frequent protests made by the Mining Board against the introduction of country beer traverns on the Field, resolved upon opening two such dens, commencing from the next official year—1st July 1902.

It may be remembered that, in 1895, when the Government had put up a country beer tavern to auction in the Ooregum Village, and purchased by a native, the Chairman of the Mining Board, in the interests of the industry and the employés, protested very strongly, with just and reasonable cause, by telegram, to the authorities, against such an invasion and bearded the late Dewan, by quoting the remarks made by him in his Dassara Address to the Representative Assembly of 1894, in the following words :—

"The Board strongly protest against this sale as the facilities for obtaining liquor are already too numerous, and the Board consider it will be very detrimental to the interests of Companies to still further increase these facilities."

"The Dewan at the last Dassara Assembly stated, that the consumption of liquor on and around the Field was very high indeed and far above the average per head for the whole taluq, and it is therefore desirable that the sales of any further liquor licenses should be stopped."

"The Board only came to hear of the sale the day before yesterday through an outside source and therefore have only been able to give this short notice. At any rate, the Board beg that you will postpone the auction sale to-morrow until the matter has been fully considered and, in the interests of the Companies, they trust that, you will bring this matter before the Dewan at an early date and that the Government will stop the sale of any more liquor licenses around this

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Subsequently, at their meeting, when this subject was brought forward, and duly discussed, the following Resolution was moved and carried unanimously :

"That the Kolar Gold Field Mining Board beg to protest most emphatically against the proposed beer tavern license in Ooregum village, or the granting of any more licenses for the sale of intoxicating liquors on the Field, or in proximity thereto, and the Board unanimously approve of the action taken by the Chairman in the matter."

The Government weighed the force of the arguments advanced by the Board in the proper light, which was fittingly in accord with the views expressed by the late Sir Seshadri Iyer, just a year before, and they cancelled the country beer tavern license and refunded the purchase money.

Since then the matter was dropped in favor of the action taken by the Mining Board. But, in June last (1901), another attempt was made to introduce the country beer tavern on the Field. The Board again set their face against it, and sent a protest to the Excise Commissioner and the Government, through the Deputy Commissioner in the following words: "that Government be asked to waive its intention to put up the beer tavern license to public auction, inasmuch as there is no need for any more taverns on the Field, and more especially because it is undesirable in the interests of the Mining community that country beer should be again introduced on the Field."

It will be observed that the Board strongly objected to the *introduction of country beer*, and, scarcely has a year passed, that we are again confronted with the astonishing fact, that, it has been resolved upon—to have two country beer taverns on the Field!

According to the Government Notification, there are, at present, about 31 arrack shops, 12 toddy shops, with privilege to sell date, cocoanut and palmyra toddies; 7 foreign liquor shops, including the Hotel and Messrs. Spencer & Co's. new license, and a number of drug shops in and around the Field, beside the importation of liquors for private consumption, and co-operative societies. Two more country beer shops will, no doubt, make a new show and create a new taste for "bobbies" and coolies to swim in, in addition to their usual "pegs." But, such an undesirable addition —the sale of country beer—is bound to militate against the interests of the Mining Companies. There is enough of poisonous country stuff already in the market and any addition to such stock must be deprecated. If there is to be progress in the drink traffic as in western education and civilisation, it is better for the mild hindu or the pariah to keep himself under the milder influences of western drinks than with the pernicious knock-me-down country "spiffer" and "country beer."

The extension of arrack and toddy shops is a temptation to the coolie population and a source of danger to mining interests. It is a temptation to the coolie to rob to satisfy his thirst for drink and a danger to the mining industry —that the coolie finds the wherewithal either in sponge gold or amalgam or quartz. Arrack shops are reputed to be dens for barter and illicit traffic in gold, and the addition of country beer taverns will hold a further premium for such traffic. In these circumstances, the gain in drink traffic would be more than counterbalanced by the loss in royalty.

It is hoped that the Mining Board will once more raise their voice in the interests of the Mining community and the industry, and that the Government will reconsider their decision and set their face against adding any more country liquor shops or country beer taverns.

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I cannot remember to have seen the Board's protest referred to in para 5 below. Have we received it, either direct or thro the Collr or the Excise Comr?

Has the Notification relative I regret the other please refer it & get and publication for

General and Revenue Secretariat. S. R. File No. 82 of 1911.

Serial No.

a few days. There is plenty of time yet.

(sd) C. Srinivasamurthi

(note continued)

the draft notices for the sale of beer taverns in the Gold Fields for 1902-03 were approved and returned in proc. no. 456-67-Ex-7-3-01 dated 29-6-1902 (only yesterday).

If approved the Excise Comr. will be written to.

NOTE—Contn. sheet.

GPB—25,000—2-11-14

Do despatched

to stay the publication of the notices referred to.

The only protest made by the Kolar Mining board in 1895, against opening country beer shops in the Gold Fields is referred to in correspondence ending with this office letter addressed to Resident (Sec no 19 of file no 5 of 96) stating that the sale of the right of opening a country beer tavern in the Gold Fields had been cancelled.

No protest from the Mining Board has since been received either direct from that Board or through the Excise Commr or Dy Commr

Hrjn

KG
30/4/1902

Rect 1-5-02

Hd 2nd Councillor

~~C.~~

Office

Please send this file to the Bureau at once with the DO. accompanying.

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1) Telegram received from the Bureau enquiring whether the Board had protested.

2) A reply to DO enquiry received from the Secretary stating that there had been no recent protest & that if Board's objection, the answer should be sent by telephone to next meeting. I went back to say that in case there was no communication I had no objection.

3) The above papers sent in original to the Bureau. } not received back with the Bureau reply C

4) Reply from Bureau to the 2nd Enquiry received today & sent in

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Urgent

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The several suggestions made by the Hon'ble the Resident, as communicated in the Secretary to Govt of the G. of India have already been adopted in our Notification - when which awaits publication. The only addition required is that [illegible] the Excise Commissioner - should be clause (13) of the Notification - with the addition, before the Notification which has been held in abeyance, be issued at once, the date fixed for sale (i.e. June) being altered if necessary after consultation with the Excise Commissioner on the Assistant to Government

Secy GL
19/5/08
D. O. Sent to Excise Commr requesting him to issue the Notification at once with the addn to clause 13 of the

7 of the Rules Mr Venkata-
ramanappa's Dft of 19/5/05
stating that 2nd June 05
for the sale will do well
as herewith -

Exc
19.5.05

(note continued)

(please see para marked
A on page 2 of this memo
and the 2nd Councillor's order
dated 26th April 1902.)

The notices for the sale
of beer in the Kolar Gold
fields were approved and
the Excise Commr was asked
to submit in para 2 of Govt
Proc no 456-57 / Ex. 6-1904 dy 29.4.1902
to submit the draft-beer
Rules in accordance with
the sale notices ~~for~~. It is
in pursuance of this, the Excise
Commr submits incl draft-beer Rules. These
rules are in accordance
with the provisions of the
sale notices of the Bangalore
City taverns as well as
the Kolar Gold Field taverns

* Letter no 8271/403 dy 6/12/05

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Except para 2 of the Rules in which the manufacturer of beer is allowed to purchase the taverns where in the notice for sale pending beer in the Kolar Gold Fields the manufacturer was prohibited from purchasing the taverns This modification is however published in the Gazette issued subsequent to the publication of the notice. no reference was made by the Excise Commr about this. A draft has been submitted for approval asking the Excise Commr to state the grounds for the amendment published accepting the amendment referred to above, the draft rules are all regd submitted,

23/6/02

This was permitted by Govt.

Govt accepted that there has been profiteering & obtains the sanction of Govt in a D.O. letter

Send to the Comm for a/c on 24/6/02 - Same cannot be put up.

No explanation on the point necessary -

Let a subsequent communication received

did not send to the Dy Comm. obtain the D.O. letter mentioned on the subject

30/6/02

Subd. 30/6/02

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no 8658 & 25/16/or
423 23

last evening, the Excise Commissioner states that on a representation made by Messrs Abraham & Co. he has permitted in anticipation of Court sanction, the beer to be sold @ 1.8.- per gallon instead of at 1.4.- per gallon on the ground that higher price for Consuling beer pleases all the more favorable for arrack & requests that necessary Corrections be made in the rules.

Submitted to the 2nd Comillor

15/5/or

Approved & Made the necessary alteration and marked "Rules"

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Office note Continued

The rules with necessary corrections issued & sent to press yesterday for publicatn -

The WO correspondence referred to by the 2nd Councillor (at the end of last but one page) was not received in the office

The file is represented to the 2nd Councillor who wants to see this file in connection with the article "The new beer taxes" appearing in the K.C.T. news of this date with special reference to the increase of the price of beer from Rs 1-4-0 to Rs 1-8-0 per gallon. This was recommended by the Ex Comr in his no 8658/423 of 26/27 6 or 7 & was duly inserted in the rules issued vide the Executive orders

Rd 2/7/02

Rd 2-7-02.

Seen, and returned with thanks -

3/7/02

Rd 3/7

The Excise Commr suggests the following amendments to the Country Liquor Rules vide Govt. no 593 - E.7.5-95 - dt 30/6/02

Letter no 6109 dt 8/10/94 394

i) He states that it has come to his notice that the local legislators have Condemned in strongest terms on the religious base, there may not be healthy competition in the retail sales - He therefore proposes to raise the license fee from Rs 24 to Rs 35/- Each of the retail to recoup by this means, the loss or decrease in the amount of licl -

2) The security deposit of Rs 500/- is reported to be too high for the taverns in the Bangalore City & an option is therefore proposed to be given to the Dy Comm to reduce the deposit amount at his discretion

3) G.O. no 593-608 / 94-96-94 dt 29.7.96

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Ex. 57

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16-8-01

Submitted with a Note

FROM P. N. Purnaiya Esq
Excise Commissioner in Mysore

SECTION SR
FILE NO. 8207 01
SERIAL NO. 1

To A. V. Narayandrah Esq
Secretary to Govt.
Genral & Rev depts

Dated 11th August 1901

Despatched 15— do

Received

General No. 1306

No. 54

Enclosure No. 2

With reference to Govt Notification No 10440 - R. F. 119 of 93 dated 30th June 1901

Submits for approval a form of Notification for the sale of draught foreign malt liquor taverns

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Excise Commissioners office
Bangalore, dated 11th August 1
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From

P. N. Purnaiya Esq.
Excise Commissioner
in Mysor

To

H. V. Nanjundiah Esqr
Secretary to Government
Genl & Rev. Dept

Sir,

With reference to the new Foreign
liquor rules published under Government Noti
-tion No 10440- R. F. 119 of 93. dated 30th June
I have the honor to submit for approval th
enclosed form of notification for the sale
draught foreign malt liquor taverns. For t
current year it is proposed to sell the
draught foreign malt liquor taverns on co
-tion that they will be given to any pers
who offers the highest rate per hogshe
of the said liquors sold by him, instead
the outright auction sale for lump sum
The principal reasons for such sale are t
There are at present no sufficient reliab
data to calculate the profits on the sa
so as to serve as a guide to the bidd

arrack revenue at present to increase the number of taverns In the Civil and Military Station the inconvenience as above described having been experienced in the recent sales, a modified arrangement was made, and the taverns so to speak leased out on condition of each tavern paying a "Kist" per hogshead I enclose for information an unauthenticated copy of the instrument or document concerned informally obtained I have preferred to call it a license fee" instead of "Kist" which in my opinion is not very appropriate I have arranged to hold the sales of the two draught Foreign Malt liquor taverns in the Bowringpet taluk in September next, So that those engaged in the business at present may have ample time to meet the change

I have the honor &c
Sir
Your most obedient Servant
J Murray
Excise Commissioner
in Mysore

in regulating the amounts of their bids. As a consequence, speculative bids are offered which range between the extreme of little or no profit to Government and all profit to the bidder or a fanciful bid which proves ruinous to the purchaser in the end. Another experience has been, as is observed in the Civil and Military Station, the fluctuations are very violent, sometimes the fall being more than 50 per cent. The like was our experience in the city this year also. Benefiting by these instances, and following the practice adopted for the current year in the Civil and Military Station for disposing of the Country Beer taverns, I have proposed a license fee proportionate to the number of hogsheads of beer sold. There are to be but two draught Foreign malt liquor taverns, one at Bowringpet and the other at Gowmakalapalli, Kolar Gold Fields. There is very keen competition, and in fact there have been already more than one, and it is not expedient in the interests of

Arrack

Circle No 5

EXCISE DEPARTMENT.

Draught foreign Notice No. ~~5830-6~~, dated the ~~10th May~~ 1901.

Bowringpet taluk

SALE OF ~~COUNTRY~~ BEER TAVERNS IN THE ~~CITY OF BANGALORE~~ FOR 1901-1902.

draught foreign

Notice is hereby given that the exclusive privilege of selling ~~Country~~ Beer ~~or Porter~~ or the in each of the ~~three~~ taverns ~~at the Bangalore City~~ specified in the appended schedule, for the ~~twelve~~ months beginning with ~~1st July~~ 1901 and ending with ~~30th June~~ 1902, will be put up to public auction on the ~~10th June~~ 1901 in the ~~Bangalore~~ Taluk Cutchery, by the Deputy Commissioner, ~~Bangalore~~ Kolar district, or other officer authorized by him.

Special Magistrates ca

2. Each bidder at the auction will deposit a sum of Rs. 250 ~~or such other reasonable amount as may be fixed by the officer conducting the sale~~, previous to bidding. Each tavern will be ~~knocked down to the approved highest bidder~~, subject to the formal confirmation by the Deputy Commissioner, who will be at liberty to accept or reject the bid at discretion, without assigning reasons for the same. Such formal confirmation will, unless revised by Government, be tantamount to an acceptance of the bid. Parties intending to bid must attend either in person or by duly accredited agents.

put up Separately and the person who offers the highest rate of license fee per hogshead of beer, porter or ale will be the successful bidder

3. As soon as the auction is completed, the deposits made by the unsuccessful bidders and not forfeited as hereinafter provided, will be returned to them. ~~As the auction proceeds~~, the person whose bid is accepted for each tavern shall at once deposit a sum equal to ~~5~~ths of a month's rent for that tavern. Should he fail to do so, the deposit made by him under para 2 will be forfeited, the tavern will at once be put up again on the above conditions, and he will be debarred from bidding again for the same or for any other tavern.

shall deposit a sum of Rs. 250/- to make up a total security of Rs. 500/- and

4. The persons to whom the taverns have been knocked down ~~and who have made deposits as provided in paras 2 and 3, shall also, within seven days from the date of the auction, deposit such further sum as, with the first and second deposits, will make up an amount equal to two months' rent of each tavern knocked down to them; and~~ shall take out licenses and execute a counterpart engagement ~~in the appended form~~, on the conditions hereinafter set forth. On the failure of any person to make the deposit or to take out license or to execute the counterpart engagement, as aforesaid, the tavern will be re-sold at the risk of such person, or if the auction hereby notified has already been completed, will be otherwise disposed of at the discretion of the Deputy Commissioner. In the case of the purchaser's death after the confirmation of the sale, it will be binding on his heirs or assigns.

5. Re-sales effected under para 4 will be at the risk of the defaulting bidder, who will forfeit all gain; and in the event of a loss by re-sale, he will make good the deficiency between the total amount payable for the whole period under the terms of the original sale and the total amount payable by the successful bidder at the re-sale. In the latter case, the forfeited deposit will be deducted from the loss arising from the re-sale; and the remainder, if any, will be recovered from the bidder in the same manner as if it were an arrear of land revenue. Should, however, the forfeited deposit be greater than the loss by re-sale, the whole of such deposit will be credited to Government.

6. The license to be taken out under para 4 above shall be subject to the following conditions, namely.

only draught genuine foreign malt liquors to be consumed on the premises and to the sale to any person at a time of one reputed quart for removal from the same. It may also extend to sale at the prescribed rate of not less than one rupee and four annas per gallon of any country beer which has paid duty to the British Indian Government at the tariff rate and also the prescribed duty to the Mysore Government and which may be certified by the Excise Commissioner as sound & fit for consumption after necessary test & analysis by the Government Chemical Examiner

(1) The privilege conferred by the license extends to the sale of ~~Country Beer or Porter brewed on the Nilgiris, or by Messrs. Meakin & Co., Kirkee, or by Messrs. Abraham & Co. Bangalore, or in any other Brewery approved by Government.~~

(2) Each tavern shall be maintained in ~~or close to the~~ existing locality tavern as described in the Schedule, hereto appended.

(3) The amount ~~for which the privilege has been purchased~~ shall be payable into the Taluk Treasury ~~in equal monthly instalments commencing from July 1901; each instalment shall be regarded as the rent for the month in respect of which it is payable. Each month's rent shall be payable on or before the 20th of the same month on the chellan prescribed for the purpose. The deposit of two months' rent made by the licensee will be taken in payment of the rents due for the last two months of the period of the lease.~~ Failing payment ~~by the 20th of the same month~~, the Deputy Commissioner shall at once proceed to recover the arrears together with interest at 6 per cent under the rules in force for the collection of land revenue. No remission or abatement of ~~the rent~~ license fees shall, on any account whatever, be claimable by the licensee.

total due on the sales of the month

exactly on the 1st of the following month unless it be Sunday or other public holiday, in which case it will be payable on the next succeeding day.

(4) The licensee shall further pay a duty of two annas for every gallon of Country Beer or Porter ~~purchased by him~~ sold which he may be permitted to sell to the Taluk treasury on the printed chellan

(5) The consignment of Country Beer or Porter purchased by the licensee shall be sent direct ~~from the Brewery~~ to the Amildar of the taluk. The letter of advice covering the consignment shall be in duplicate, the original being sent to the Amildar of the taluk, and the duplicate to the Excise Commissioner. ~~On the duty at the above mentioned rate being paid by the licensee on the prescribed chellan~~ The Amildar shall allow the licensee to remove the consignment to his tavern upon a pass signed by the Amildar or other officer authorized by him on this behalf.

(6) The licensee [illegible] under the Madras Regulation, at the rate of Rs 180 per annum, in advance for the period of the license for his tavern.

(7) The licensee shall use such measures as may from time to time be prescribed by Government, and provide himself with the printed forms of accounts and permits or passes for transport of Beer & Porter, which forms shall be purchased from local Excise Officers.

(8) The licensee shall be bound to take over any Beer or Porter which may remain as stock in hand belonging to the on-going licensee on the 1st July 1901 in the existing tavern, and to pay to the latter such compensation for the same as may be fixed by the Excise Commissioner.

(9) The licensee shall be bound by the rules in force, and which may be issued from time to time by Government.

(10) The remaining terms and conditions shall be as set forth in the ~~suspended~~ granted license.

In the case of any breach of the above conditions either by the licensee, or with his vance and privity, by any person in his employment, or in the event of the licensee neglecting open his tavern or to carry on his business with due care and attention, it shall be competent to the Deputy Commissioner to impose upon the licensee a fine not exceeding Rs. 50 for such breach or neglect, or at the option of the Deputy Commissioner to declare the money sited with him forfeited, and to cancel the license and to re-sell the privilege or to otherwise dispose of it at the risk of the licensee and all loss thereby caused, together with the loss ing to Government in case of the licensee not carrying on his business by opening tavern on 1st ~~June~~ 1901, shall be made good by him. When a license is cancelled, the rent whole period of the lease shall become due at once, which shall be recovered together all losses as if they were arrears of land revenue.

The penalties laid down in the last preceding clause shall not exempt the licensee or employés from prosecution for any offence committed against the Excise laws or rules

~~P. N. Perumal, Excise Comr. in Mysore~~

SCHEDULE.

Taluk	Locality where the tavern is to be opened
Bowringpet	1 Bowringpet Kasba
	2 Gonimakalahalli

H Sweeney
Excise Com[r]

[illegible] Section 72 and 13 of Act II of 1881).

1. Register No.
2. Name of License-holder.
3. Name of Vendor.
4. Locality.

I, ... Deputy Commissioner and District Magistrate of ..... District, hereby authorize to sell by retail Country Beer and Porter on the premises No. ..... under the following conditions :—

I. The privilege conferred by the license extends to the sale of Country Beer or Porter brewed on the Nilgiris, or by Messrs. Meakin & Co., Kirkee, or by Messrs. Abraham & Co., Bangalore, or in any other Brewery approved by Government.

II. Each tavern shall be maintained in or close to the existing tavern as described in the schedule hereto appended.

III. The amount for which the privilege has been purchased shall be payable into the Taluk Treasury in equal monthly instalments commencing from July 1901; each instalment shall be regarded as the rent for the month in respect of which it is payable. Each month's rent shall be payable on or before the 20th of the same month on the chellan prescribed for the purpose. The deposit of two months' rent made by the licensee will be taken in payment of the rents due for the last two months of the period of the lease. Failing payment by the 20th of the same month, the Deputy Commissioner shall at once proceed to recover the arrears together with interest at 6 per cent under the rules in force for the collection of land revenue. No remission or abatement of the rent shall, on any account whatever, be claimable by

letter no 2125 dated 26th April
1901 from the First Assistant
to the Resident in Mysore to
the Collector civil and
Military Station Bangalore

I am directed to
acknowledge the receipt
of your letter no 897, dated the
4th April 1901 reporting the
arrangement made under
which beer taverns in the
civil and military station
of Bangalore were leased
for the year 1901-1902 to
successful bidders at the
sale held on the 15th March
1901 on condition that a
khist of Rs 8/- is paid on every
hogshead

hogshead of beer delivered at the taverns.

2. In reply I am to convey the Resident's formal approval to the arrangement. Beer should, as agreed to by the purchasers be sold during the current year at the same rate as it was sold during the past year.

No. 1254, dated 7th May 1901.

Copy forwarded to the officer in charge of the Resident's Treasury for information

Under the arrangement now sanctioned for the lease of the beer taverns for

for the year 1901-1902 Visits
at the rate agreed upon
are payable on the actual
quantity of beer delivered
at the taverns in a month
the brewers who duly file
taverns with beer bill, as
usual. Submit their
accounts to this office
through the Excise Superintendent
who will forward them
duly verified to this office
with the counterfoils of the
permits issued by him on
or before the 5th of each
month the present practice
of receiving the accounts

direct to this office, and
then forwarding them to the
Excise Superintendent for
check will be discontinued
as causing unnecessary
delay. As soon as the accounts
are received in this office,
they will be checked and
the brewers will be required
by bills to pay the whole
due into the Resident's
Treasury on or before the
10th. of the month. The treasury
officer will at the same
time be furnished with
a statement showing the
amount due or with a
duplicate of each bill,
and

and he will be asked to report any case of default immediately after the prescribed date has expired in order that such steps in order that such steps may be taken for the recovery of the dues as may be considered necessary.

3. The Duty on beer will be continued to be paid into the Treasury as heretofore on the 20th of each month

(sd) [illegible]

Forwarded to Messrs Abraham & Co for information and guidance. The instructions contained

in

in the above letter should
be strictly complied with

A.B Hinde
11/5/01
Superintendent of Excise.

"Coby"

Excise Commissioner
in Cyprus

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Routine Notes.

[To be used only for notes, requisitions, etc., not intended for permanent record.]

4th Brown & brown C
6 bottles gallon

Jamieson became bound
under 500 gallons
Above items 2 ounces
a Gallon
Individual arrangements
with Scotch Irish
beer is sold either
as Bulgarian - only
25 hogsheads
a month - Hughes
54 Gallons.
Browning left no
demand for home
ale & brown-beer
Now shops bottled beer
is sold -

(7) 31st March 1901

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my dear Sir,

re FILE No. C&E 01

I answered as best as can
be done in that form - As
you understand the Subject
& know how one detail ramifies
itself into another - and
as in a semi-mercantile
concern like this - you have to
act when time comes - I
need
can not do be more - than
what I have done. I have
placed the matter before you
& leave it for being decided
after fully considering it in
all its bearings

Yours sincerely
[illegible]

N.B.—Should routine notes be written on small slips, the notes must be copied, or slips pasted on this form.

GPB—50,000—29-6-14

SECTION SR

FILE No. S 2 8 01

Kolar Gold Fields,
Marikuppam,
31st August 1901.

To

C. Sreenivasiengar, Esq.
Second Councillor to the Govt.
of Mysore.
Bangalore.

The humble petition of Messrs Anderson & Co. and other Wine and Spirit Merchants, Bowringpet, Kolar Gold Fields.

Most humbly sheweth

1. That on a conversation with the Excise Commissioner some time ago, on the sale of Beer Taverns in the Fields, the petitioners had reason to believe, that the Excise Commissioner intended to sell the Taverns, on condition that certain amount has to be paid on each Hhds. of beer sold in the Tavern.

2. That as the purchaser is permitted to sell Country Beer in the Tavern the local brewers mainly, counting upon their selling only the beer of their own breweries which cost them very little, and only for the sake of name keeping one or two Hhds. of English beer, would take away the chance of any others coming forward to bid, and thus completely crush healthy competition. Besides the brewers at Bangalore have bought over those at the Niligheries to wantonly obstruct an outsider to purchase the Tavern. The outsider will have to go to these brewers only when they will charge enormously per Hhd. of beer. Your petitioners therefore pray that you will order the unwholesome and cheap Country beer to be done away with.

3. On reference to the Excise Administration Report of Bombay for 1899-1900 it will be found that the beer brewed in India is condemned and it is said that the Europeon and Native communities have relished purely English draught beer and have not at all touched the Country beer.

4. The highly intoxicating nature of the beer of the local

Kolar Gold Fields
Mamillapillam
31st August 1901

Received post
31/8/01

To

C Srinivasa Iyengar Esq
2nd Councillor
to the Government of Mysore
Bangalore

The humble petition of Messrs Anderson & Co, and other Wine & Spirit Merchants
Bowringpett, Kolar Gold Fields

Most humbly Sheweth

I. That on a Conversation with the Excise Commissioner, Sometime ago, on the Sale of Beer Taverns in the Fields; the petitioners had reason to believe, that the Excise Commissioner intended to Sell the Taverns, on condition that Certain Amount has to be paid on each Hhds of beer, Sold in the Tavern.

II That as the purchaser is permitted to Sell Country beer, in the Tavern; the local brewers mainly, Counting upon their Selling only the beer of their own breweries; which Cost them very little, and only for the Sake of name Keeping one or two Hhds of English Beer; would take away the Chance of any others coming forward, to bid and thus Completely Crush healthy Competition. Besides the brewers at Bangalore, have bought over those at the Neighbourhood. So wantonly obstruct

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an, outsider to purchase the Tavern. The outsider will have to go to these Brewers only when they will charge enormously, per Shop of beer. Your petitioners therefore pray, that Your will order the unwholesome & cheap Country beer, to be done away with.

III. On reference to the Excise Administration Report of Bombay for 1899-1900. it will be found that, the beer brewed in India, is Condemned, & it is said that the European and native Communities, have relished purely English draught beer, and have not at all touched the Country beer.

IV. The highly intoxicating nature of the beer of the local Breweries, and the cheapness of the Stuff, both Combine to allure the ignorant Coolies; who Consume it very largely, and indulge in it immoderately, little reflecting, that it would soon undermine their health. For the intelligent public must admit, that the Composition of the Country beer, stands no Chance of Comparison with that of the Clear & wholesome English beer. The introduction of the beer from local breweries, is likely to Seriously affect the Constitution, of those accustomed to wholesome English beer, and may bring about a fresh outburst of epidemics on the Fields.

V That the large Consumption of the Said beer, in no way helps the Revenue, but brings about heavy fall, for the Coolies who had hitherto taken to arrack, would naturally take to Country beer; and in Consequence, the Sale of arrack would fall, and that of Country beer would rise, but the nature of the Case is such, that the Revenue falls pro rata; for whereas, the duty on arrack is Rs 4-12-0 per Gallon.

That

that our Country beer is only 2 annas per Gallon
In support of their Statement they have
only to instance, how the Revenue was affected
by the permission granted a short while ago,
to Mr Fitzpatrick, to sell Country beer on
the Field, and the present State of affairs
in the Civil & Military Station, of Bangalore
by the introduction of Country beer.

Under these Circumstances, Your Petitioners
beg that a fair Chance may be given by
Selling the Tavern itself by auction, if
Beer Taverns are at all to be established
in the Gold Fields. This will help the pur-
chasers to sell pure English beer, as hitherto
done.

Anderson & Co.

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SECTION SR

FILE No. 870/01

SERIAL 49

My dear Sir

I presume you have not sent Mr Anderson's petition to Govt: for my formal report. Under that impression I proceed to make some called for observations on the statements contained therein. He says (1) that after prolonged correspondence the Dewan disallowed the sale of Country beer in the Gold fields. I have learnt from papers submitted to me in my office — that — (a) in the very first onset this very Mr Anderson obtained a licence to sell country beer (Murree) on the Neilgherries (b) after the break up of the brewery he obtained permission to sell English malt liquor in lieu (c) the situation of Mr Anderson's tavern is now outside the area of the fields in Gonemadanpalli just outside. You will see from this that even in spite of the protests alluded to by Mr Anderson the Tavern was not abandoned, but has continued up to date from year to year and has continued to sell European

local merchants and it will be simply impolitic to perpetuate their disabilities

Let me not be misunderstood I am purely actuated by my sense of duty. Govt is not doing what it should do according to my judgement. I therefore press the matter on its attention. By all means let there be no favor. If payment per hogshead is unfavorable to Mr Anderson – let him have individual consideration also under the present circumstances. By all means sell the Tavern to the highest bidder for a lump sum. I Guess this would not be objected to by the Mining Board – their local sympathies, cannot but be in favor of the local man. But any representation in individual consideration should be discarded when deciding upon the policy and the general question.

By selling in the manner specially requested by the Petitioner in the last Para of his petition – your difficulty

of the inexpediency & undesirableness
of changing the rules or forms of licences
so soon after their adoption and
publication will also be removed

Then will remain only the consideration
in regard to time of sale. With reference
to this I have only to repeal - that Taverns
exist - You do not increase their number
You cannot simply by cancelling them away
by renewal of licence, because I
have received more than one application for licence personal matter and
so forth Then the caveat, clear & sound
is to sell to the highest bidder - Let this
be done. Then the licensee who ever
he is - may have permission to sell
beer by draught - a small-liquor
What beer you
allow will be the next question. European
Beer is allowed - Burgherry beer
was allowed. On the plea of private
consumption hundreds of gallons of
Burgherry beer was imported by
residents - there - If Bangalore beer
is as good why should you not permit it

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No 2788, Exc: / 118

Excise Commissioners office,
Bangalore, Dated 9th October 1901.
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From

P. N. Purnaiya Esquire BA.,
Excise Commissioner in Mysore,
Bangalore.

To

H. V. Nanjundayya Esquire MA, ML.
Secretary to government of Mysore,
General and Revenue Departments,
Bangalore.

Sir,

I have the honor to submit herewith for orders an application of Mr. Brooke Leggatt for licenses to sell locally brewed beer on the Kolar gold fields.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient Servant

P. N. Purnaiya
Excise Commissioner
Bng in Mysore

Ex.

General Serial No. 30. 5-29

1901

From F. N. Furnaiya Esquire Offg
Excise Commissioner
To in Mysore
H. V. Ranjundayya Esquire Asst
Secretary to Govt. of Mysore
Dated 9th General and Revenue Dept
Despatched 11th October 1901.
Received

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General No. Sect. 5-2
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File No. 11

Serial No.

Subject

Submits for orders an application of Mr. Brooke for licenses to sell locally brewed beer on the Kolar Gold Fields.

Please submit this letter to the Secretary —

Under section 10 of the Excise Consolidation Act, the Resident has granted licenses for the sale of locally brewed beer on the Kolar Gold Fields as a whereas in addition to licenses for the sale of foreign made liquors. Applications have been received for the renewal of such licenses and I am in favour of a trial being given for the beginning of the next official year — the arrangements to be similar to those in force during the present year — Rules for conduct and accounts are herewith submitted for approval —

My humble opinion is that the beer may be sold in the Gold Fields as under consideration. The file is before the Dewan

Sd
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E-7-5-95 Subd to Councillor
on 9-7-01
not yet come back —

Dewan-

Subd
8-10-01

Subd to the 2nd Councillor

the question is whether Councillor

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From.

Brooke Leggatt
Retired District Magistrate of Coorg.

To.

P. N. Poorniah Esquire
Excise Commissioner
Government of Mysore

Submit draft for order

5th Oct 1901

Sir,

You are aware that more than a year and a half ago, I applied for Licenses to vend locally brewed Beer on the Gold Fields.

In that connection I addressed the Mining Board of the Gold Fields in a letter addressed to its Secretary, printed Copy of which I had the honor to submit to you at the time.

I did not intimate to you the Board's views of my application, but beg now to enclose a true Copy of their letter to me, from which You will observe, they state that the working of the Abkari on the Gold Fields is entirely in the hands of the Mysore Government, and in which they cannot interfere.

As Beer of a Superior quality is now being locally brewed, I beg respectfully to renew my application for Licenses to vend Beer on the Gold Fields in two Shops, under European Superintendence, one Tavern being for Europeans, and the other for Natives, on Such terms as you may deem fit to recommend.

I believe that it is Contemplated

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to Sell by public auction the Tavern held by Mr Anderson under license, and adjoining the Gold Fields. I am prepared to bid with others for the same at the auction, and I am also prepared, if required, to restrict the quality of Beer for retail Sale this year, to Malt and Hop Beer only. This, to be either imported, or locally brewed, which I understand can now be had

Begging the favor of a very early consideration of this my Application,

I have the honor
to be Sir
Your Most obedient Servant
Thos A Lipsett

Dated Barequalme
18 September 1901

From
Brooke Legate
To
P. H. Burnaby Esq
Lucien Columb.

Date — 18 Sept 01.
Recd

Subject
Application for
Bren. To
Lucien.

THE KOLAR GOLD FIELD MINING BOARD,
OORGAUM,
MYSORE STATE,
S. INDIA.

COPY.

23rd February 1900

Brook Leggatt. Esq,
Bangalore.

Dear Sir,

I beg to inform you that your communication, dated 12th instant, was placed before my Board at their Meeting held yesterday, when I was instructed, in reply, to say that the matter of the working of the Abkary on the Kolar Gold Fields is one in which they cannot see their way to interfere, as it is entirely in the hands of the Mysore Government.

Yours faithfully,
Signed) G. E. Payne.
Secretary.

(true Copy)

FILE No.

my dear Sir

I return your letter
note on the Beer question
in the Gold Fields - I am
glad you allowed the Brewers
to state their case fully. As
the Sale of the Tavern & Store
Leases there has been
much agitation
thereat I might
Mr Davey further
breach

Confidential

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Dear Mr! Ramaya

With regard to the opening of Beer taverns in the Good Feeds & the sale of Bangalore Beer I can see no harm in it provided it is distinctly notified in the Gazette when the Toddy & Arack sales are next published

Also that we levy a Rs/- Duty per gallon to indemnify the Govt. for the decrease of consumption of both Arack & Toddy that will surely follow

With reference to the attitude of the Mining Board on the subject I

I cannot see why they allowed a Dist-
ⁱⁿ the opening of a reasonable number
of beer houses say two or three, because
Belgrave was freely supplied & should
apparently with the Boards approval
the Bangalore Beer as now brewed
is said to be much better, & the Board
should have allowed them early too plead
in London & encourage the sale of a
good sound beverage.
I cannot see why Mr Anderson or
any other private individuals interests
should be considered at all - &c.

Mr Tata if he had invested large capital
in building fine premises for the Factory,
for as a matter of fact he has nothing
but a wretched old wooden shanty
with an iron roof, that has occasionally
been added to as the premises have
been developed this trade increased
I really cannot see any reason why
he should continue to enjoy a monopoly,
to the exclusion of others who have
invested a large sum of money in plant
& machinery of the most approved type
in order to enable them to produce as
cheaply as the nearest approach possible to
that achieved in Europe under more

favourable climatic conditions & with
Londonderry has met with the approva
of the consuming public.

Yours

Truly

W. Williamson

Bangalore

6th Dec 1900

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OFFICE OF THE 13555 23 APR 02 190 DEWAN P. SORE.

FROM P. R. Purnaiya Esqre
Excise Commissioner
in Mysore.

SECTION SR
FILE NO. S2001
SERIAL NO. 7.

To H. V. Kanjundayya Esqre Asst. Secy
Secy to the Govt. of Mysore
Gl. & Rev. Depts.

Dated 18th April 1902
Despatched 22 — do
Received
General No. 6523
No. 279
Enclosure No. 2

Submits for approval and return two draft notices, (1) for the sale of two country beer taverns in the Bowringpet Taluk, and (2) for the sale of a draught foreign malt liquors' tavern at Gowmaklapalli near the Kolar Gold fields.

Excise
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No 6523
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Office of the Excise Commissioner
in Mysore
Bangalore, dated 15th April 19

From

P. N. Purnaiya Esquire. B.A.
Excise Commissioner
in Mysore.

To

H. V. Ranganadayya Esquire M.A.
Secretary to the Govt. of Mysore
General and Revenue Dept

Sir,

In reply to your Demi official letter of the 16th instant, I have the honor to submit herewith for appr and return the accompanying d draft notices (2) for the sale of two Country beer taverns in the Bowri Pet taluk and (2) for the sale a draught Foreign malt liquo taverns at Gowimakkapalli in the Kolar Gold Fields.

2. Draught Foreign malt liq are now sold only at Gowimakk halls, and they are not sold at Bowringpet. Accordingly it proposed to sell for the year 19

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1903, only one draught foreign malt liquors' tavern at Gooti-makkapalle.

3 With reference to clause (11) of the note received with the D.O. letter under reply, I beg to state that no duty is at present levied by the Mysore Government on draught foreign malt liquors.

4 The date fixed for the sale of arrack and toddy shops in the Bowringpet taluk being the 10th and 12th May 1902, the publication of the accompanying sale notices in the Mysore Gazette and circulation of the spare copies of such publication before the said dates, would be sufficient warning to the intending bidders for the arrack and toddy shops in the Bowringpet taluk

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5 On the accompanying draft-
Sale notices being approved by
Government - draft Notifications
for amending the existing Rules
on the subjects therein mentioned,
will be submitted for sanction
and publication.

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your most-obedient Servant

[redacted]
Excise Commissioner
in Mysore

Note

I. Sale Notice of draught Foreign Beer Taxeon.

(1) There is only one Refreshment Room at Gonnakalapalli, Kolar Gold Fields, in which draught foreign malt liquor is sold, no such liquor being sold at present at the Bowringpet Refreshment Room. Therefore in the sale notice for the year 1902-03, only one taxeon is mentioned.

2. As Country Beer taxeons have to be sold separately as ordered by Government, the condition empowering the licensee of draught foreign Beer taxeon to vend Country beer, is omitted

3. Duty on foreign Beer is levied by the British Indian Govt at the Port of Importation in India; and no further duty is leviable on it by the Mysore Govt under the Foreign Liquor Rules in force. Vide Govt Notification No 11469 / E&F. 3-1901, dated 10th January 1902: Accordingly no provision regarding the levy of duty is made

4. No Registration fee under the Municipal Regulation being payable, the condition regarding it is omitted.

5 No Taxeon of the kind now advertised for sale, exists; and therefore there is no stock to be taken over.

security in possession about taking over stock in hand is made.

6 the conditions stipulating that the Beer shall contain 75 per cent of malt, do not apply to Foreign Beer; and therefore it is appropriately amended.

II. Sale Notice of Country Beer Taverns

7. In the sale notice two Country Beer Taverns, one at Bandarapola, and the other at Gonimahalpalla, are included as ordered by Govt.

8. para 1 is altered so that each tavern may be put up to public auction, the upset price thereof being fixed at Rs 24/- per hogshead of Beer which will be sold in it.

9. A new para prohibiting Brewers from bidding for the Taverns, is inserted as ordered by Government.

10. After the word "bidder" in line 3 of para 3, the words "who offers the highest rate per hogshead," are inserted for the reasons stated in para 8 above.

11. The second deposit referred to in para 4, being unnecessary, the condition regarding it is omitted.

12. As each Tavern has to be put up to auction on condition that it will be knocked down to the approved bidder who offers the highest rate per hogshead, para 5 is altered so as to take a security deposit of Rs 500/- for each Tavern instead

of an amount equal to two months rent. 86

13. Condition (3) is altered so as to make the amount due on the hogsheads of Beer sold in any month, payable in the first week of the following month, as ordered by Government.

14. Condition (9) is altered so as to make it consistent with Government Notification No. 9245 Ex. F 3-1901, dated 14th December 1901 and with Condition XI of Country Beer Licence.

put up

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Licensing Officer
Deesa Camp
2/4/19

NOTIFICATION.

No. ~~11467~~ *Ex. F.* 3-1901, *dated* ~~10th January~~ 16th April 1902.

Under Sections 16, 24 and 29 of the Excise Regulation V of 1901, and in exercise of all powers enabling them in this behalf, the Government of Mysore are pleased to prescribe the following form of notice for the sale of Country Beer Taverns and of Retail License for the vend of Country Beer or Porter :—

SALE OF COUNTRY BEER TAVERNS IN ~~the~~ Kolar Gold Fields FOR 1902-1903.

1. Notice is hereby given that the exclusive privilege of selling ~~Country~~ Beer or Porter ~~in each of the taverns specified in the appended schedule~~, for the twelve months' beginning with 1st July 1902 and ending with 30th June 1903 will be put up to public auction on ~~June~~ the 1902 in the ~~special Darbastu~~ by the Deputy Commissioner, or other officer authorised by him.

2. Each bidder at the auction will deposit a sum of Rs. 250 or such other ~~reasonable~~ amount as may be fixed by the officer conducting the sale, previous to bidding. ~~Each~~ tavern will be knocked down to the approved highest bidder, subject to the formal confirmation by the Deputy Commissioner, who will be at liberty to accept or reject the bid at discretion, without assigning reasons for the same. Such formal confirmation will, unless revised by Government, be tantamount to an acceptance of the bid. Parties intending to bid must attend either in person or by duly accredited agents.

3. As soon as the auction is completed, the deposits made by the unsuccessful bidders, and not forfeited as hereinafter provided, will be returned to them. ~~As the auction proceeds, the person whose bid is accepted for each tavern shall at once deposit a sum equal to $\frac{1}{6}$ths of a month's rent for that tavern. Should he fail to do so, the deposit made by him under para 2 will be forfeited, the tavern will at once be put up again on the above conditions, and he will be debarred from bidding again for the same or for any other tavern~~

4. The persons to whom the taverns ~~have~~ has been knocked down, and who ~~have~~ made deposits as provided in paras 2 and 3, shall also, within seven days from the date of the auction, deposit such further sum as, ~~with the first and second deposits,~~ will make up an amount equal to two months' rent of ~~each tavern knocked down to them~~, and shall take out licenses and execute a counterpart engagement, ~~in the appended form~~, on the conditions hereinafter set forth. On the failure of any person to make the deposit or to take out license or to execute the counterpart engagement, as aforesaid, the tavern will be re-sold at the risk of such person, or if the auction hereby notified has already been completed, will be otherwise disposed of at the discretion of the Deputy Commissioner. In the case of the purchaser's death after the confirmation of the sale, it will be binding on his heirs or assigns.

5. Re-sales effected under para 4 will be at the risk of the defaulting bidder, who will forfeit all gain ; and in the event of a loss by re-sale, he will make good the deficiency between the total amount payable for the whole period under the terms of the original sale and the total amount payable by the successful bidder at the re-sale. In the latter case, the forfeited deposit will be deducted from the loss arising from the re-sale ; and the remainder, if any, will be recovered from the bidder in the same manner as if it were an arrear of land revenue. Should, however, the forfeited deposit be greater than the loss by re-sale, the whole of such deposit will be credited to Government.

6. The license to be taken out under para 4 above shall be subject to the following conditions, namely

CONDITIONS.

(1) The privilege extends to the sale of only *draught* genuine foreign malt liquors to be consumed on the premises, and to sale to any person at a time up to one reputed quart for removal from the same.

~~II. This license will have also power to vend at the prescribed retail price any country beer which has paid duty to the British Indian Government at the tariff rate, and also the prescribed duty to the Mysore Government, and which may be certified by the Excise Commissioner as sound and fit for consumption after necessary test and analysis by the Government Chemical Examiner.~~

(2) III. ~~Each~~ The tavern shall be maintained in the locality described in the ~~schedule~~ hereto appended.

(3) ~~IV.~~ The amount for which the privilege has been purchased, shall be payable into the Taluk Treasury in equal monthly instalments commencing from July 1902, each instalment shall be regarded as the rent for the month in respect of which it is payable. Each month's rent shall be payable on or before the 20th of the same month on the challan prescribed for the purpose. The deposit of two months' rent made by the licensee will be taken in payment of the rents due for the last two months of the period of the lease. Failing payment by the 20th of the same month, the Deputy Commissioner shall at once proceed to recover the arrears together with interest at 6 per cent under the rules in force for the collection of land revenue. No remission or abatement of the rent shall, on any account whatever, be claimable by the licensee.

~~V. The licensee shall further pay a duty of two annas to the Taluk Treasury on the prescribed challan for every gallon of country beer or porter which he may be permitted to sell.~~

(4) ~~VI.~~ The consignment of beer or porter ~~or ale~~ purchased by the licensee shall be sent direct to the Amildar of the taluk. The letter of advice covering the consignment shall be in duplicate, the original being sent to the Amildar of the taluk, and the duplicate to the Excise Commissioner. After duly verifying the consignment the Amildar will allow the licensee to remove it to his tavern upon a pass signed by the Amildar or other officer authorized ~~by him~~ on this behalf.

~~VII. The licensee of every tavern at the Bangalore City shall pay a registration fee under the Municipal Regulation, at the rate of Rs. 180 per annum, in advance for the period of the license for his tavern.~~

(5) ~~VIII.~~ The licensee shall use such measures as may from time to time be prescribed by Government, and provide himself with the printed forms of accounts and permits or passes for transport of beer or porter, ~~or ale~~ which forms shall be purchased from local Excise officers.

~~He shall be bound to take over any beer or porter which may remain at~~

of the taluk, and the duplicate to the Excise Commissioner. On the duty aforementioned rate being paid by the licensee on the prescribed chalian, the Amildar shall allow the licensee to remove the consignment to his tavern upon a pass signed by the Amildar or other officer authorized by him on this behalf.

The licensee of every tavern at the Bangalore City shall pay a registration fee under the Municipal Regulation, at the rate of Rs. 180 per annum, in advance for the

X. This license is not transferable by sale, gift, mortgage or otherwise, and no person except such as are named herein shall have power to act under it.

XI. The vendor shall equally with the license-holder be responsible in the penalties herein set forth for breach of any of the conditions of the license.

XII. He shall not sell or give beer or porter in any quantity whatever directly or indirectly to any European or non-commissioned officer or private soldier, nor to any European or East Indian woman connected with, or related to, men of these classes, nor allow him, her, or them to drink beer or porter in his premises or grounds; he will not permit drunkenness or disorderly behaviour in his shop or premises, and will not suffer any gambling whatsoever therein, and will not knowingly permit prostitutes or persons of notoriously bad character to meet or remain therein; he will not wilfully harbour or conceal therein soldiers or others, knowing or having reason to believe such soldiers or others to be deserters; he will give information of suspicious characters to the Magistrate or Police officer; and he shall not sell or give beer or porter to any Police officer, Railway servant, or Excise officer whilst on duty.

(10) XIII. He shall fix in a conspicuous place outside of his shop a board on which shall be legibly painted his name, vendor's name, the number of his shop, and the article he is licensed to deal in.

XIV. He shall not receive any articles whatsoever in barter or pledge.

XV. The beer and porter sold under this license shall contain 7·5 per cent of malt or any of the preparations of malt and 3 lbs of good Kent hops per hogshead, and shall be of the same quality and density as purchased; and shall not be diluted or adulterated. The beer and porter sold shall not contain more than 8 per cent alcohol by volume. The licensee will be bound to pay duty at the prescribed rate per gallon of proof spirit on all alcohol in the beer and porter in excess of 8 per cent by volume, besides being liable for prosecution. Samples of such beer and porter shall be sent duly bottled from the tavern for examination and test whenever required by the Excise Department.

XVI. Any Magistrate having local jurisdiction or officer acting under his warrant or any Abkari or Excise officer shall be allowed entry to the shop at any hour to test the beer or porter on the premises, and examine the shop accounts, which it shall be the duty of the license-holder and vendor to keep and produce. Such accounts shall be true and correct, and written up daily in the prescribed forms. All condemned beer shall be destroyed.

XVII. He shall close his shop by 9 P. M. and not open it before 6. A M., except on special permit in cases of native festivals, &c.

XVIII. Beer brought for the Commissariat Department and rejected by the Military or other departments, shall not, under any circumstances, be forwarded for sale in the tavern.

XIX. The shop shall have only one door, and no window will be allowed to the rear or ends of the building; the bar where the liquor is sold from, shall be opposite to the entrance door, and so situated that all persons inside can be seen by any one passing to and fro in the street; and no second room shall be allowed to be kept open for customers.

XX. The licensee shall be bound by the rules in force and which may be issued from time to time by Government.

XXI. In the case of any breach of the above conditions either by the licensee, or with his connivance and privity, by any person in his employment, or in the event of the licensee neglecting to open his tavern or to carry on his business with due care and attention, it shall be competent to the Deputy Commissioner to impose upon the licensee a fine not exceeding Rs. 10 for every such breach or neglect, or at the option of the Deputy Commissioner to declare the money deposited with him forfeited, and to cancel the license and to re-sell the privilege or to otherwise dispose of it at the risk of the licensee; and all loss thereby caused, together with the loss accruing to Government in consequence of the licensee not carrying on his business by opening his tavern on 1st July 190 shall be made good by him. When a license is cancelled, the rent for the whole period of the lease shall become due at once, which shall be recovered together with all losses as if they were arrears of land revenue.

(8) XXII. The penalties laid down in the last preceding clause shall not exempt the licensee or his employés from prosecution for any offence committed against the Excise Laws or Rules in force.

XXIII. This license shall continue in force till the ... 190 and no longer.

Deputy Comr. and Dt. Magistrate, District.

Schedule showing the boundaries of the shop.

Street, Door No. and other particulars	Bounded on the—				Remarks
	North by	East by	South by	West by	

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9th April 1902

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My dear Mr Purnaiya

~~I have the send~~
Enclosed is
~~you~~ a copy of the note
by the 2nd Councillor
on the result of ~~the~~
~~of~~ discussion he had
with you the other day
about the sale of beer
in the Kolar Gold Fields

SECTION SR
FILE No. 82 B. 01
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may I request you
to kindly send ~~as early~~
~~as practicable~~ your
official modified pro-
~~pos~~posals regarding the
changes & additions, de-
required in the existing
Rules & forms, as early
as practicable.

with reference to the
note

Draft

Yours Sincerely

P. N. Purnaiya Esq

2 2 1902

Lt Col Bourke

1st Lt Dougherty

Fort Myer Va

2/3/4/10

Thurs 24th

My dear Sir

Please see my

office no 6523 801

STATION
FILE NO. 279 9
SUBJECT

When I was talking to

you in person the other

morning, I told you

that there was a foreign

mail - Legion Tavern

in Bonnighett. Since

then I have found this

like a mistake. There was one. But it seems it was required some months ago. So may need not remain, as it is not here material to do so.

As I have read in my last paragraph of the official letter slight alterations will have to be made in the Rules. As the

Licenses will pay
so much per hogshead
and a rental per
month — they will
have the alternative
put down in our
rule of license. The
changes are detailed
in the enclosed note.

Similarly — the
provision in foreign
mail dequea Draw

Relict Queen - I"-
to her by Wood Country
Bees - which now I
provided and have
to be recovered, the
two Queens, until they
separated -

Humphry Wood Esq
D.D as a Supplement -
Simple Treacle, Coffee Cup -
a Bee catcher

Recipe

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Read :-

SECTION GR
FILE NO. 82 0601
SERIAL NO. 10

Letter no 1306/54 dated 11th August 1901 from the Resident Mysore submitting with reference to Govt notification

X S.243-00 Con. Pul up. no X 10440-R7 119-93 dated 30th June 1901, a draft notification for the sale of arrack, foreign malt liquor taverns in the Kolar Gold Fields & requesting sanction thereto

also correspondence

ending with letter no 6523/279 dated 18th April 1902 from the same Office for approval & return submitting the revised draft notices -

(1) for the sale of two country beer taverns in the Bowringpet taluk,

(2) for the sale of

a draught- foreign
malt- liquors' tavern at
Gowmakhapalle near
the Kolar Gold Fields,
and stating that on the
draft- notices being approved
by Govt & draft- noti-
fications for amending
the existing rules on
the subjects therein
mentioned will be
submitted for approval
and publication.

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910 456-57 & 29.4.1902.
Ex 7 of 1901

Order thereon:—

The draft- sale
notices -
(1) for the sale of two
country beer taverns
in the Bowringpet- taluk
(2) for the sale of a draught
foreign malt- liquors'

tavern at Gone-
maklapalli near the
Kolar Gold Fields.
for the year 1902-1903
are approved and
returned.

2. The draft notifi-
cations for amending
the Rules on the subject
promised in the last
para of ~~the 2nd of the~~
~~letters read above has~~
the Excise Commr's
letter ~~no~~ of the 18th April
1902 quoted above, are
awaited.

2nd Council's order)

Secretary

To
The Excise Commr
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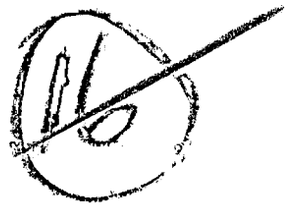

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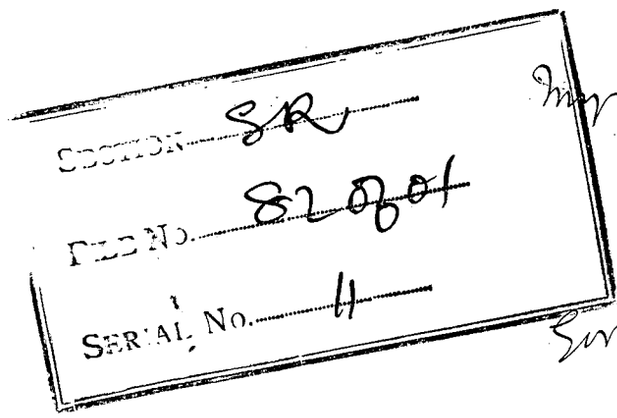
30th April 1902



My dear Mr Purnaiya,

please
~~Kindly~~ refer to the
Govt prop no 456-57 &
Sec 7 30th 1901
29th April 1902 approving
of the ~~sale~~ draft notices for
the sale of beer taverns
~~Granting~~ in the Kolar
Gold fields for the
next year may I
ask you to kindly to
defer the publication of
these notices till you
hear from me again

Yours Very Sincerely

P. N. Purnaiya Esq

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FILE No. Bangalore, 87

1st May 1902.

SERIAL No. 12

My dear Sir,

I am extremely sorry to have again to trouble you in the matter of the sale of Country Beer in the Kolar Gold Fields. We have given the question our best consideration. We have ignored no vested ~~rights~~ interests nor have we shewn any anxiety to augment our revenue by placing any vile and deleterious stuff within the reach of the consuming public Mr. Purnaiyya and I went into the question most carefully and in the light of your remarks of the 6th. April 02, ~~and~~ we decided upon the adoption of a course which, except from a jaundiced view, was wholly unexception-able. Here however comes a scathing criticism from the "Kolar Gold Fields News". We all know what took place in 1895. I have not seen the protest said to have been sent by the Mining Board in 1900. Such a protest, if any, seems quite unreasonable. Country Beer is being patronized in Bangalore (both City and C & M Station) and it is an unintelligible to me why if professionally pronounced to be of good quality, its introduction into the Kolar Gold Fields as a tentative measure should be objected to when there is

a real demand for it and when no interests ~~are likely~~ have suffer except those of an interested monopolist who has during a long series of years had it all his own way. Let us supply the public with what they want and as cheaply as possible. Why force down their throats what they do not care for ~~but~~ for which ~~however~~ moreover they have to pay almost a prohibitive price ~~since~~ for want of a substitute cheaper and equally inocuous ~~is not available~~? If what the newspaper says is true, I apprehend some trouble from the Mining Board. I am anxious that there should not be a recurrence of the fiasco of 1895. Mr.Purnaiyya is, I believe, at Ooty now and will, I am sure, be able to satisfy you that the action which the Durbar propose taking, is in no way open to objection. As in 1895, the Board are now likely to approach the Resident with their representation on the subject in case we decline to accede to their wishes. A word from you to the Hon'ble Col.Robertson to whose kind encouragement after careful examination seems due much of the success of this local enterprize, will doubtless obviate all difficulties and enable us to give effect to a decision which has been come to after much anxious thought, and after due consideration of local interests and requirements.

Your very Sincerely,

(Signed) C.Srecnivasiengar.

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I have very glad
~~to the~~ to the
Dewani observations 2
Eyes Kindly have
them inserted in their
proper place in
the Draft Notification
which you will find
in a portion of the
Secretariat File here
with sent for ready
reference -

Yours sincerely
K. Ramaswamy
R. N. Purandhare Esq

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~~Hyde~~ 5-02

SECTION SR

New Delhi 5204 01

Re Counter Bill 13

Herewith I send for your personal and obliging perusal a Do. of the 9th Instt received from the Revenue Minister - Is any modification of, or addition to, our Notifn - Trade requires please

he said - for however he
said there was a barbarian
description which limited it
only 8 degrees of alcohol -
after it is exported from the
(2) Brewery the liquor must
be subjected to occasional
test and chemical analysis
so that it is not adulterated
and rendered more strong
by the mixture of logging
Logwood and other such stuff.
I believe the agitation is all
on account of Mr Anderson
and I do not see why we
should draw back - At all
events we might introduce

(3) it as an experimental
measure for one year -
Col Robertson also suggested
that it was best to make
them pay the fee annually
(4) with the number of shops
that they sell - This was
his own suggestion and
appeared to me practical.
I do not regard this as
increasing facilities for
drunkenness or consumption
of intoxicating liquor On
the other hand I believe
I am correct in assuming
that we are likely in
the districts to reap a gr

BHAVANI HOUSE.

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My dear Srinivasa Iyengar

Many thanks for your kind letter. I am thankful for the information you have given me about the attitude of the mining Board regarding the proposed licensing of the sale of beer manufactured in Bangalore. I learnt from Mr Robertson that three different kinds of beer were manufactured. It must be laid down (1) as to which of them will

harmful and less deleterious stuff than even arack and also the risk of endangering the excise revenue - This is done entirely in people's interest and the experiment deserves a trial - The Mining Board have not concerned with any product. The lager (beer) is manufactured under that supervision in Bangalore - It has been certified to be good healthy & is still open to the occasional testings of the Inspectors before sale - Under all the circumstances I am of opinion that the above

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BHAVANI HOUSE.

which has been decided
to be taken must be
pursued. I am sorry
that there has been some
delay in coming to a
decision on this question
but the information which
I wrote for and obtained
were essential. I
return the file herewith.
Trusting this will
find you well I am
Yours very sincerely
Miles Lampson

Rec'd 17/5/02

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Office of the Excise Commissioner
in Mysore

Bangalore, dated 17th May 1902.

SECTION SR

FILE No. 8 of 1901

SERIAL 14

My dear sir,

I enclose a short note in reference to your D.O. of the 11th instant, which I also place on file for ready reference.

I also send Notifications and licenses adopted in Civil and Military Station, which I obtained from Mr. Lloyd, and copy of their Brewery Rules elsewhere obtained.

You will note that in the Vendor's license adopted in the Civil and Military Station the only condition is that the beer should be of the same quality and density as is manufactured in the brewery.

We have no brewery, and we have issued no brewer's license. We cannot hold our vendors responsible for quality of beer unless we bind them also by conditions in detail in this respect. Therefore we have the license condition XV " that the beer & Porter sold under this license shall contain 75 per cent of malt or any of the preparations of malt and 3 lbs of good Kent hops per hogshead, and shall be of the same quality and density as purchased from the Brewer, without dilution or adulteration. The Beer and Porter sold shall not contain more than 8 per

Returned with a D.O. dt. 19-5-02

(11a) Encl to R. 14 50

Memorandum

No modification of, or addition to, our Notification for the sale of Country beer taverns in the Kolar Gold Fields is needed for the following reasons:—

(1) Condition (13) of para 7 lays down what kind of beer should be sold in the taverns, and that it shall not be diluted or adulterated; and it also provides for the occasional test and chemical analysis of the beer kept for sale in the taverns.

(2) Paras 1 and 3 and condition (3) of para 7 provide that the license fee shall be paid according to the number of hogsheads which the vendors sell.

(3) As per para 1 of the Notification, the proposed taverns are to be put up to auction only for one year beginning with 1st July 1902 and ending with 30th June 1903.

But the clause regarding the original gravity of the beer wort which exists in para 9 of the Brewery Rules of the Civil and Military Station, has been inserted in license conditions, i.e in clause (13) of para 7 of the Sale Notification.

M Krumbiegl

17th May 1902

Excise Commissioner in Mysore

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FILE No. 8206/1
SERIAL No. 15

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My dear Sir.

In confirmation of Mr Macquisten's W/C of 3.04.02 regarding You to defer the publication of the Notices referred to by Govt in Secretary's Prof. No 456-57 of 29.4.02 for the sale of licenses in the Kolar Gold Fields for the next 4 years. I am to request you have to issue these

issued at once 52

Notices ~~as early~~

~~as practicable~~

~~with the date of~~

~~the sale being~~

~~altered~~ necessary

~~and~~ with the addn

to Clause 13 of para

7 of the notice suggested,

in your DO of the

17th instd to the

Second Councillor

Thanks

Yrs sincerely

19/5/02

P N Purang 19/5

No 8271 Rec'd / file 403

Excise Commissioner's office
Bangalore dated 12th June 1902.
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From

P. R. Purnaiya Esquire B. A
Excise Commissioner
in Mysore

To

H. V. Ranjundayya Esquire, M. A, M. L
Secretary to Government
General & Revenue Departments

Sir,

With reference to the form of notice for the sale of country Beer Taverns approved by Government officially and demi officially, I have the honor to submit herewith for approval and publication, a draft notification prescribing revised Rules under the provisions of the Excise Regulation for the sale of country beer taverns.

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,
P Purnaiya
Excise Commissioner
in Mysore

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FROM H. Sumaira Esq
Excise Commissio
in Mysore

SECTION 5 R
& 2 C C

TO H. P. Tirumalaraya
Secretary to Governme
General Revenue Depar

~~Dated~~ 12th June 1902.

Despatched

Received

General No.

No. 73

Enclosure No. -

Submits, for approv
publication, a draft notifi
-tion prescribing revised
Rules for the sale of Cou
liquor taverns.

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OFFICE OF THE
Regd. No.
27 JUN. 1902
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DEW'P of P.

Regd 108

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From D. of P. Trivandrum Capt Bd

Excise Commissioner in Mysore

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To L. Anantasiwami Rao Esqr BA

Officiating Secretary to Govt

General & Revenue Department

Dated 26th June 1902

Despatched 27th "

Received

General No. 8058

SECTION SR

No. 423 82/507

FILE No.

Enclosure No. 1

SERIAL No. 17

Submits copy of Communication from Messrs Abraham & C and solicits that the retail price of the Country beer may be altered from Rs 1-4-0 to Rs 1-8-0 per gallon in the draft Rules submitted with this Office No 8271/403, dated 10/13 th instant.

Encl
27/6/02

No. 84

Excise Commissioner's Office
Dated, Bangalore 26th Ju

From

P. J. Ramaya Esqr. B.A
Excise Commissioner in Mysore

To.

L. Ramaswamy Rao Esqr. B.A
Officiating Secretary to Gover
General and Revenue Department

Sir,

In continuation of this Office
letter No 827 dated 10th instant, I
the honor to submit herewith copy
letter of the 24th idem from Mess
Abraham & Co and to solicit tha
as therein requested, the relat
price of the country beer may b
altered from Rs 1-4 o to Rs 1-8
per gallon in the draft Rules
submitted with the above.

2. Higher price for country beer
in this stage of our experience
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arrack. On this ground permis
has been granted in anticipati
of Government sanction, to se

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country liquor at Rs 1-8-0 per gallon,
instead of at Rs 1-4-0

I have the honor to be,
Sir,

Your most obedient servant

For Excise Commissioner
in Mysore.

South Parade 56

Bangalore 24th June 1902.

From

Messrs Abraham & Co.

To.

P. N. Purnaiya Esqr. B.A

Excise Commissioner Bangalore.

Sir,

We have the honor to request that-
owing to the very high Kist per Hogshead
at which we purchased the beer shops
at Kolar (Oorgam and Bowringpet),
we may be permitted to retail the
beer at Rs 1-8-0 (Rupees one and
annas eight-) per gallon.

Trusting you will favor us
with an early and favorable reply.

We beg to remain
Sirs
Your Obedient Servants
(Sd) Abraham & Co.

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101 For Excise Commissioner
in Mysore.

SECTION SR
FILE No. 62001
SERIAL No. 18

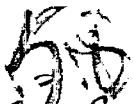
To (DA) 5/7

The Revenue Commr
in Mysore

No 569
475-95.

dy 25/6/07

With reference to
the Revenue Commissioner
no 7937-18 dy 6/6/07
published in page
509 part II of the
Mysore Gazette dy
12th June 1902 pre-
Certain alterations
to be made in the
Notice for the sale of
Coorg been taken
in the Kolar Gold
Fields for the ensuing
year has the honor
to request to be
informed of the



circumstances which
necessitated these
alterations especially
the one referred to
in para 2 of the
original proposal.

B.C.

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C.H. Forsaith

M.S.
24/6/02.

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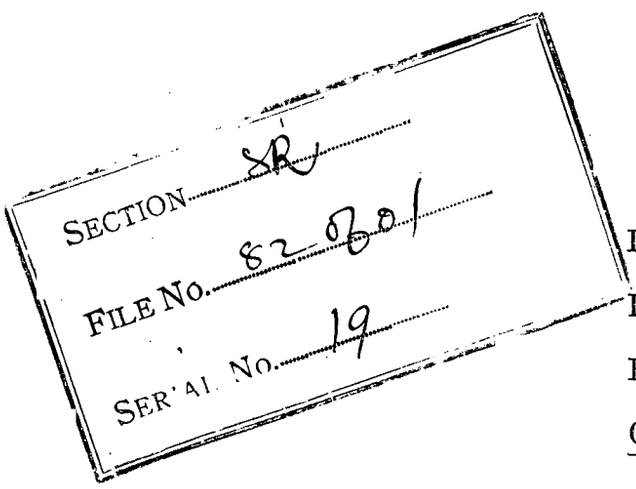
FROM

G. Pinnama Esqr. B.A
Excise Commissioner
in Mysore

To

L. Anantasawmy Rao Esqr. B.A.
officiating Secretary to Government
General and Revenue Departments



Dated 28th June 1902.

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Received

General No. 8759

No. 426

Enclosure No.

In reply to Secretary's No. 569 Ex. M. 5-95, dated 25th June 1902.

Explains the circumstances under which the alterations in question were made in the notice for the sale of country beer taverns in the Bowringpet Taluk.

Ex in 1.7.02 This file was examined & a note made in the Office note that the alterations have been effected by the Rule D.C. by the rules issued —

File

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Office of the Commissioners for
Bangalore dated the [illegible] 1902

From

[illegible] Esqr B.A
Acting Commissioner for Mysore

To

[illegible] Esqr B.A
Acting Secretary to Government
General and Revenue Department

Sir

In continuation of my Circular No. 567 dated 25th June 1902 I have the honor to state that the alterations in question were made for the following reasons:—

1. The word "Canton Bee reverse" used to be confused in the year 1902 to represent the system of the Revenue Divisions formed from the Cauvery Commissioner's time Dickuch

2. Para 2 of the Sale notice was altered as recommended by Mr Carr with the consent of the Second Councillor, obtained demi officially.

3. Mr Carr even suggested that as every who serve equal to Habeel Mahs. Division & Co. it was included in the Sale Notice to be issued for the Bangalore District.

4. Mr Carr also recommended that the proposed Canton Bee Office should be opened at the original Mysore Division Head Quarters which was recommended and ordered the words — [illegible] place to be inserted by the Commissioner's proceedings to be inserted with the consent of the Second Councillor obtained demi officially

I have the honor to be
Your most obedient Servant
[illegible]

Acting Commissioner for Mysore

SECTION SR
FILE No. 82000/
SERIAL No. 20

Read:-

Correspondence
ending with the Excise
Commissioners letter
no 8658/423 dt 26/27 6.02
submitting for approval
and publication a
draft notification
containing revised
rules for the sale of
Country been taxes

Orders thereon no 582-92/475-95
dt 30/6/02 -

The notification received
from the Excise Comm.
in response, is approved
& forwarded to the
Controller Response
Gazette for publication

30/7/02

The Controller Response Gazette
for publication in 3 successive issues
of the Gazette in part III

to the Excise Comm
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Receipt return no
593 dt 30/6/95
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Combining the rules —
(Section 269)

of the taluk, and the duplicate to the Excise Commissioner. On the duty at the abovementioned rate being paid by the licensee on the prescribed challan, the Amildar shall allow the licensee to remove the consignment to his tavern upon a pass signed by the Amildar or other officer authorized on this behalf.

(6) The licensee of every tavern at the Bangalore City shall pay a registration fee under the Municipal Regulation, at the rate of Rs. 180 per annum, in advance for the period of the license for his tavern.

(7) The licensee shall use such measures as may from time to time be prescribed by Government, and provide himself with the printed forms of accounts and permits or passes for transport of Beer or Porter, which forms shall be purchased from local Excise Officers.

(8) The licensee shall be bound to take over any Beer or Porter which may remain as stock in hand belonging to the out-going licensee on the 1st July 190 in the existing tavern, paying to the latter such compensation for the same as may be fixed by the Excise Commissioner.

(9) The licensee shall be bound by the rules in force, and which may be issued from time to time by Government.

(10) The remaining terms and conditions shall be as set forth in the appended license

7. In the case of any breach of the above conditions either by the licensee, or with his connivance and privity, by any person in his employment, or in the event of the licensee neglecting to open his tavern or to carry on his business with due care and attention, it shall be competent to the Deputy Commissioner to impose upon the licensee a fine not exceeding Rs. 10 for every such breach or neglect, or at the option of the Deputy Commissioner to declare the money deposited with him forfeited, and to cancel the license and to re-sell the privilege or to otherwise dispose of it at the risk of the licensee; and all loss thereby caused, together with the loss accruing to Government in consequence of the licensee not carrying on his business by opening his tavern on 1st July 190 , shall be made good by him. When a license is cancelled, the rent for the whole period of the lease shall become due at once, which shall be recovered together with all losses as if they were arrears of land revenue.

8. The penalties laid down in the last preceding clause shall not exempt the licensee or his employés from prosecution for any offence committed against the Excise laws in force.

10. The license to be taken out by the purchaser of each tavern, shall be in the appended form A.

11. The Treasury Challan referred to in para 7 (3) above, shall be in the appended form B.

12. The Pass referred to, in para 7 (5) above, shall be in the appended form C.

13. The special passes and accounts to be kept in the taverns, shall be such forms as may be ordered by the Excise Commissioner.

M Ramaiya
Excise Commissioner

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Offg. Secretary to Government
General & Revenue Department

BEER LICENSE. A

License for retail sale of Country Beer or Porter.

1. Register No.
2. Name of License-holder.
3. Name of Town.
4. Locality.

I, ... Deputy Commissioner of ..... District, do hereby authorize to sell by retail Country Beer or Porter on the premises No. under the following conditions:—

I. The privilege conferred by the license extends to the sale of Country Beer or Porter brewed on the Nilgiris, or by Messrs. Mealin & Co., Kirkee, or by Messrs. Abraham & Co., and Gangadhara Bangalore, or in any other Brewery approved by Government.

II. Each tavern shall be maintained in or close to the existing tavern as described in the Schedule hereto appended.

III. The amount for which the privilege has been purchased shall be payable into the Taluk Treasury in equal monthly instalments commencing from July 190 ; each instalment shall be regarded as the rent for the month in respect of which it is payable. Each month's rent shall be payable on or before the 20th of the same month on the challan prescribed for the purpose. The deposit of two months' rent made by the licensee will be taken in payment of

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 47-5-95 dated 30 June 1902.

Under Sections 16, 24 and 29 of the Excise Regulation, V of 1901, and in exercise of all powers enabling them in this behalf, the Government of Mysore are pleased to prescribe the following Rules for the sale of Country Beer Taverns.

1. The exclusive privilege of selling country Beer or Porter in each tavern in such localities as may, from time to time, be ordered by Government for each official year, shall be sold by public auction under the Excise Commissioner's notification, by the Deputy Commissioner of the District concerned or by other officer authorized by him. Such sale shall be subject to the following conditions:—

(1.) The exclusive privilege shall be put up to auction as may be ordered by the Excise Commissioner, either at the upset price fixed for each tavern by the officer conducting the sale, or it being fixed at Rs 24/- per hogshead of beer or porter which will be sold in each tavern.

2. The manufacturers of beer may bid for or purchase the taverns.

5, 4. The persons to whom the taverns have been knocked down, shall, within seven days from the date of the auction, deposit such further sum as, with the first deposit, will make up an amount equal to two months' rent of each tavern knocked down to them, and shall take out licenses and execute counterpart engagements on the conditions hereinafter set forth. On the failure of any person to make the deposit or to take out license or to execute the counterpart engagement, as aforesaid, the tavern shall be re-sold at the risk of such person, or if the auction hereby notified has already been completed, shall be otherwise disposed of at the discretion of the Deputy Commissioner. In the case of the purchaser's death after the confirmation of the sale, it shall be binding on his heirs or assigns.

or a total security of Rs 500/- for each tavern.

6. Re-sales effected under clause 5 supra shall be at the risk of the defaulting bidder, who shall forfeit all gain; and in the event of a loss by re-sale, he shall make good the deficiency between the total amount payable for the whole period under the terms of the original sale and the total amount payable by the successful bidder at the re-sale. In the latter case, the forfeited deposit shall be deducted from the loss arising from the re-sale; and the remainder, if any, shall be recovered from the bidder in the same manner as if it were an arrear of land revenue. Should, however, the forfeited deposit be greater than the loss by re-sale, the whole of such deposit shall be credited to Government.

7. The license to be taken out under clause 5 above, shall be subject to the following conditions, namely:—

(1) The privilege conferred by the license extends to the sale of Country Beer or Porter brewed on the Nilgiris, or by Messrs. Meakin & Co., Kirkee, or by Messrs. Abraham & Co., Bangalore, or in any other Brewery approved by Government. and Gangadhara Chetty

(2) Each tavern shall be maintained in or close to the existing tavern as described in the Schedule hereto appended.

(3) The amount for which the privilege has been purchased, shall be payable into the Taluk Treasury in equal monthly instalments commencing from July 190 ; each instalment shall be regarded as the rent for the month in respect of which it is payable. Each month's rent shall be payable on or before the 20th of the same month on the challan prescribed for the purpose. The deposit of two months' rent made by the licensee will be taken in payment of the rents due for the last two months of the period of the lease. Failing payment as above, the Deputy Commissioner shall at once proceed to recover the arrears together with interest at 6 per cent under the rules in force for the collection of land revenue. No remission or abatement of the Government dues shall, on any account whatever, be claimable by the licensee.

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(4) The licensee shall further pay a duty of two annas for every gallon of Country Beer or Porter purchased by him.

(5) The consignment of Country Beer or Porter purchased by the licensee shall be sent direct from the Brewery to the Amildar of the taluk. The letter of advice covering the consignment, shall be in dupliate, the original being sent to the Amildar

(9) This lease shall not be transferable by sale previous sanction of the Excise Commissioner.

(10) The Vendor shall equally with the License-holder be responsible in the penalties herein set forth for breach of any of the conditions of the license.

(11) He shall sell Beer or Porter of approved quality. It may be sold to be drunk on the premises up to one reputed quart bottle at a time. It may be sold to be removed off the premises upon the prescribed passes up to one Imperial gallon (4 seers).

(12) He shall not sell or give Beer or Porter in any quantity whatever directly or indirectly to any European or Non-commissioned Officer or Private Soldier, nor to any European or East Indian woman connected with or related to, men of these classes, nor allow him, her, or them to drink Beer or Porter in his premises or grounds; he shall not permit drunkenness or disorderly behaviour in his shop or premises, and shall not suffer any gambling whatsoever therein and will not knowingly permit prostitutes or persons of notoriously bad character to meet or remain therein; he shall not wilfully harbour or conceal therein soldiers or others knowing or having reason to believe such soldiers or others to be deserters; he shall give information of suspicious characters to the Magistrate or Police Officer; and he shall not sell or give Beer or Porter to any Police Officer, Railway servant, or Excise Officer, whilst on duty

(13) He shall fix in a conspicuous place outside of his shop a board on which shall be legibly painted his name, Vendor's name, the number of his shop, and the article he is licensed to deal in.

(14) He shall not receive any articles whatsoever in barter or pledge and that payment for Beer or Porter shall be made in ready money only at one and a ~~quarter~~ half rupee per Imperial gallon and proportionately for fractions thereof.

(15) The Beer or Porter sold under this license shall contain 75 per cent of malt or any of the preparations of malt and 3 lbs. of good Kent hops per hogshead, and shall be of the same quality and density as purchased from the Brewer, without dilution or adulteration. The original gravity of the beer wort shall not exceed 1070 at 60° Fahrenheit. The Beer or Porter sold shall not contain more than 8 per cent alcohol by volume. The licensee will be bound to pay duty at the prescribed rate per gallon of proof spirit on all alcohol in the Beer or Porter in excess of 8 per cent by volume, besides being liable for prosecution. Samples of such Beer or Porter shall be sent duly bottled from the Brewery or tavern for examination and test whenever required by the Excise Department.

(16) Any Magistrate having local jurisdiction, or any officer acting under his warrant, or any Abkari or Excise Officer shall be allowed entry to the shop at any hour to test the Beer or Porter on the premises, and examine the shop accounts, which it shall be the duty of the License-holder and Vendor to keep and produce. Such accounts shall be true and correct, and written up daily in the prescribed forms. All condemned Beer shall be destroyed

(17) He shall close his shop by 9 P. M.; and not open it before 6 A. M., except on special permit in cases of Native festivals, etc.

(18) Beer brought for the Commissariat Department and rejected by the Military or other Departments, shall not, under any circumstances, be forwarded for sale in the tavern.

(19) The shop shall have only one door, and no window be allowed to the rear or ends of the building; the bar where the liquor is sold from, shall be opposite to the entrance door, and so situated that all persons inside can be seen by any one passing to and from the street; and no second room shall be allowed to be kept open for customers.

(20) The licensee shall be bound by the rules in force, and which may be issued from time to time by Government.

(8) In the case of any breach of the above conditions either by the licensee, or with his connivance and privity, by any person in his employment, or in the event of the licensee neglecting to open his tavern or to carry on his business with due care and attention, it shall be competent to the Deputy Commissioner to impose upon the licensee a fine not exceeding Rs. 10 for every such breach or neglect, or at the option of the Deputy Commissioner, to declare the money deposited with him forfeited, and to cancel the license and to re-sell the privilege or to otherwise dispose of it at the risk of the licensee; and all loss thereby caused, together with the loss accruing to Government in consequence of the licensee not carrying on his business by opening his tavern on 1st July 190[illegible] shall be made good by him. When a license is cancelled, the rent for the whole period of the lease shall become due at once, which shall be recovered together with all losses as if they were arrears of land revenue.

SALE OF COUNTRY BEER TAVERNS IN THE BOWRINGPET TALUK FOR 1902-

Notice No. 6735—13, dated 30th April 1902.

1. Notice is hereby given that the exclusive privilege of selling Country Beer or Porter in each of the taverns specified in the appended schedule, for the twelve months beginning with 1st July 1902 and ending with 30th June 1903 will be put up to public auction on the 2nd June 1902 in the Gold Fields Special Magistrate's Court by the Deputy Commissioner, Kolar District, or other officer authorised by him, the upset price being Rs. 24 per hogshead of Beer or Porter which will be sold in each tavern.

2. The manufacturers of Beer will not be allowed to bid for or purchase the taverns either *directly* or *indirectly*.

3. Each bidder at the auction will deposit a sum of Rs. 250 or such other reasonable amount as may be fixed by the officer conducting the sale, previous to bidding. Each tavern will be knocked down to the approved bidder who offers the highest rate per hogshead, subject to the formal confirmation by the Deputy Commissioner, who will be at liberty to accept or reject the bid at discretion, without assigning reasons for the same. Such formal confirmation will, unless revised by Government, be tantamount to an acceptance of the bid. Parties intending to bid must attend either in person or by duly accredited agents.

4. As soon as the auction is completed, the deposits made by the unsuccessful bidders and not forfeited as hereinafter provided, will be returned to them.

5. The persons to whom the taverns have been knocked down, shall within seven days from the date of the auction, deposit such further sum as, with the first deposit, will make up a total security of Rs. 500 for each tavern knocked down to them, and shall take out licenses and execute a counterpart engagement, on the conditions hereinafter set forth. On the failure of any person to make the deposit or to take out license or to execute the counterpart engagement, as aforesaid, the tavern will be re-sold at the risk of such person, or if the auction hereby notified has already been completed, will be otherwise disposed of at the discretion of the Deputy Commissioner. In the case of the purchaser's death after the confirmation of the sale, it will be binding on his heirs or assigns.

6. Re-sales effected under para 5 will be at the risk of the defaulting bidder, who will forfeit all gain; and in the event of a loss by re-sale, he will make good the deficiency between the total amount payable for the whole period under the terms of the original sale and the total amount payable by the successful bidder at the re-sale. In the latter case, the forfeited deposit will be deducted from the loss arising from the re-sale, and the remainder, if any, will be recovered from the bidder in the same manner as if it were an arrear of land revenue. Should, however, the forfeited deposit be greater than the loss by re-sale, the whole of such deposit will be credited to Government.

7. The license to be taken out under para 5 above. shall be subject to the following conditions, namely :—

(1) The privilege conferred by the license extends to the sale of Country Beer or Porter brewed on the Nilgiris, or by Messrs. Meakin & Co., Kirkee, or by Messrs. Abraham & Co., Bangalore, or in any other Brewery approved by Government.

(2) Each tavern shall be maintained in or close to the existing tavern as described in the Schedule hereto appended.

(3) The amount payable for each month on account of the number of hogsheads of Beer or Porter sold, shall be paid into the Taluk Treasury in the first week of the following month, on the challan prescribed for the purpose. The security deposit of Rs. 500 will be taken towards the amount due for the last two months of the period of the lease. Failing payment as above, the Deputy Commissioner shall at once proceed to recover the arrears together with interest at 6 per cent under the rules in force for the collection of land revenue. No remission or abatement of the Government dues shall, on any account whatever, be claimable by the licensee.

(4) The licensee shall further pay a duty of two annas for every gallon of Country Beer or Porter purchased by him.

(5) The consignment of Country Beer or Porter purchased by the licensee shall be sent direct from the Brewery to the Amildar of the taluk. The letter of advice covering the consignment shall be in duplicate, the original being sent to the Amildar of the taluk, and the duplicate to the Excise Commissioner. On the duty at the abovementioned rate being paid by the licensee of the prescribed challan, the Amildar shall allow the licensee to remove the consignment to his tavern upon a pass signed by the Amildar or other officer authorized on this behalf.

(6) The licensee shall use such measures as may from time to time be prescribed by Government, and provide himself with the printed forms of accounts and permits or passes for transport of Beer or Porter, which forms shall be purchased from local Excise Officer.

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VI. The licensee of every tavern at the Bangalore City shall pay a registration fee under the Municipal Regulation, at the rate of Rs. 180 per annum, in advance for the period of the license for his tavern.

VII. The licensee shall use such measures as may from time to time be prescribed by Government, and provide himself with the printed forms of accounts and permits or passes for transport of Beer or Porter, which forms shall be purchased from local Excise Officers.

VIII. The licensee shall be bound to take over any Beer or Porter which may remain as stock in hand belonging to the out-going licensee on the 1st July 190 in the existing tavern, paying to the latter such compensation for the same as may be fixed by the Excise Commissioner.

IX. This license shall not be transferable by sale, gift, mortgage or otherwise, [without the previous sanction of the Excise Commissioner.]

X. The Vendor shall equally with the License-holder be responsible in the penalties herein set forth for breach of any of the conditions of the license.

XI. He shall not sell Beer or Porter of any description whatever except that which shall be obtained on prepayment of duty at two annas per gallon to the Mysore Government. It may be sold [ ] to be drunk on [ ] the premises, [upto one reputed quart bottle at a time. It may be sold to be removed off the premises upon the prescribed special Passes]

XII. [He] shall not sell or give Beer or [Porter] in any quantity whatever directly or indirectly to any European or Non-commissioned Officer, Private Soldier, nor to any European or East Indian woman connected with or related to, men of these classes, nor allow him, her, or them to drink Beer or Porter in his premises or grounds; [he shall] not permit drunkenness or disorderly behaviour in his shop or premises, and [shall] not suffer any gambling whatsoever therein and [shall] not knowingly permit prostitutes or persons of notoriously bad character to meet or remain therein; [he shall] not wilfully harbour or conceal therein soldiers or others knowing or having reason to believe such soldiers or others to be deserters; [he shall] give information of suspicious characters to the Magistrate or Police Officer; and [he] shall not sell or give Beer or Porter to any Police Officer, Railway servant, or Excise Officer, whilst on duty.

XIII. [He] shall fix in a conspicuous place outside of his shop a board on which shall be legibly painted his name, Vendor's name, the number of his shop, and the article he is licensed to deal in.

XIV. [He] shall not receive any articles whatsoever in barter or pledge, and ~~that~~ payment for Beer or Porter shall be made in ready money only at ~~not less than~~ one and a ~~quarter~~ half rupee per Imperial gallon and proportionately for fractions thereof.

XV. [The] Beer [or] Porter sold under this license shall contain 75 per cent of malt or any of the preparations of malt and 3 lbs. of good Kent hops per hogshead, and shall be of the same quality and density as purchased from the Brewer, without dilution or adulteration. [The] Beer [or] Porter sold shall not contain more than 8 per cent alcohol by volume. The licensee [shall] be bound to pay duty at the prescribed rate per gallon of proof spirit on all alcohol in the Beer or Porter in excess of 8 per cent by volume, besides being liable for prosecution. Samples of such Beer [or] Porter shall be sent duly bottled from the Brewery or tavern for examination and test whenever required by the Excise Department

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XVI. [ ] Any Magistrate having local jurisdiction or any officer acting under his warrant or any Abkari or Excise Officer shall be allowed entry to the shop at any hour to test the Beer or Porter on the premises, and examine the shop accounts which it shall be the duty of the License-holder and Vendor to keep and produce. Such accounts shall be true and correct, and written up daily in the prescribed forms. All condemned Beer shall be destroyed.

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XVII. He shall close his shop by 9 P. M., and not open it before 6 A. M., except on special permit in cases of Native festivals, etc.

XVIII. Beer brought for the Commissariat Department and rejected by the Military or other Departments, shall not, under any circumstances, be forwarded for sale in the tavern.

XIX. The shop shall have only one door, and no window be allowed to the rear or ends of the building; the bar where the liquor is sold from, shall be opposite to the entrance door, and so situated that all persons inside can be seen by any one passing to and fro in the street; and no second room shall be allowed to be kept open for customers.

XX. The licensee shall be bound by the rules in force, and which may be issued from time to time by Government.

XXI. In the case of any breach of the above conditions either by the licensee, or with his connivance and privity, by any person in his employment, or in the event of the licensee neglecting to open his tavern or to carry on his business with due care and attention, it shall be competent to the Deputy Commissioner to impose upon the licensee a fine not exceeding Rs. 10 for every such breach or neglect, or at the option of the Deputy Commissioner, to declare the money deposited with him forfeited; and to cancel the the license and to re-sell the privilege or to otherwise dispose of it at the risk of the licensee; and all loss thereby caused, together with the loss accruing to Government in consequence of the licensee not carrying on his business by opening his tavern on 1st July 190 , shall be made good by him. When a license is cancelled, the rent for the whole period of the lease shall become due at once, which shall be recovered together with all losses as if they were arrears of land revenue.

XXII. The penalties laid down in the last preceding clause shall not exempt the licensee or his employés from prosecution for any offence committed against the Excise laws or rules in force.

XXIII. This license shall continue in force till the 190 and no longer.

Dy. Comr. *Dt.*

COUNTERPART ENGAGEMENT.

We the undersigned, the abovenamed License-holder and Vendor and others connected with the Beer Tavern at the for ourselves and our heirs, legal representatives, and assigns, hereby agree to all the terms and conditions written, printed and expressed in the above license.

Signed, sealed and delivered in our presence at the District Deputy Commissioner's office, this

Witnesses
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License-holder and Vendor.

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GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE

EXCISE

PROCEEDINGS

Dated 30th June 1902

No. 582-92
Ex. F. 5-95

Approving and forwarding to the Compiler, *Mysore Gazette*, for publication, a draft Notification containing the revised Rules for the sale of Country Beer Taverns.

S.B.P.—9-7-02—350

Proceedings of the Government of Mysore.

READ—

Correspondence ending with the Excise Commissioner's letter No. 8658—423, dated 26—27th June 1902, submitting for approval and publication, a draft Notification containing revised Rules for the sale of Country Beer Taverns.

No. 582-92—EX. F. 5-95, DATED BANGALORE, 30TH JUNE 1902.

ORDER THEREON.—The notification received from the Excise Commissioner in Mysore, is approved and forwarded to the Compiler, *Mysore Gazette*, for publication.

L. ANANTASAMI RAO,
Offg. Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

To—The Excise Commissioner in Mysore.
The Comptroller to the Government of Mysore.
The Deputy Commissioners of Districts.
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NOTIFICATION.

No. 593—Ex. F. 595, dated 30th June 1902.

Under Section 16, 24 and 29 of the Excise Regulation, V of 1901, and in exercise of all powers enabling them in this behalf, the Government of Mysore are pleased to prescribe the following Rules for the sale of Country Beer Taverns :—

The exclusive privilege of selling Country Beer or Porter in each tavern in such localities as may, from time to time, be ordered by Government, for each official year, shall be sold by public auction under the Excise Commissioner's Notification by the Deputy Commissioner of the district concerned or by other officer authorized by him. Such sale shall be subject to the following conditions :—

1. The exclusive privilege shall be put up to auction as may be ordered by the Excise Commissioner, either at the upset price fixed for each tavern by the officer conducting the sale, or it being fixed at Rs. 24 per hogshead of Beer or Porter which will be sold in each tavern.

2. The manufacturers of beer may bid for or purchase the taverns.

3. Each bidder at the auction shall deposit a sum of Rs. 250 or such other reasonable amount as may be fixed by the officer conducting the sale, previous to bidding. Each tavern will be knocked down to the approved highest bidder, subject to the formal confirmation by the Deputy Commissioner, who will be at liberty to accept or reject the bid at discretion, without assigning reasons for the same. Such formal confirmation shall, unless revised by Government, be tantamount to an acceptance of the bid. Parties intending to bid must attend either in person or by duly accredited agents.

4. As soon as the auction is completed, the deposits made by the unsuccessful bidders and not forfeited as hereinafter provided, shall be returned to them.

5. The persons to whom the taverns have been knocked down, shall, within seven days from the date of the auction, deposit such further sum as, with the first deposit, will make up an amount equal to two months' rent of each tavern or a total security of Rs. 500 for each tavern, knocked down to them, and shall take out licenses and execute counterpart engagements, on the conditions hereinafter set forth. On the failure of any person to make the deposit or to take out license or to execute the counterpart engagement, as aforesaid, the tavern shall be re-sold at the risk of such person, or if the auction hereby notified has already been completed, shall be otherwise disposed of at the discretion of the Deputy Commissioner. In the case of the purchaser's death after the confirmation of the sale, it shall be binding on his heirs or assigns.

6. Re-sales effected under clause 5 *supra*, shall be at the risk of the defaulting bidder, who shall forfeit all gain; and in the event of a loss by re-sale he shall make good the deficiency between the total amount payable for the whole period under the terms of the original sale and the total amount payable by the successful bidder at the re-sale. In the latter case, the forfeited deposit shall be deducted from the loss arising from the re-sale; and the remainder, if any, shall be recovered from the bidder in the same manner as if it were an arrear of land revenue. Should, however, the forfeited deposit be greater than the loss by re-sale, the whole of such deposit shall be credited to Government.

7. The license to be taken out under clause 5 above, shall be subject to the following conditions, namely:—

(1) The privilege conferred by the license extends to the sale of Country Beer or Porter brewed on the Nilgiris, or by Messrs. Meakin & Co., Kirkee, or by Messrs. Abraham and Gungadara Chetti & Co., Bangalore, or in any other Brewery approved by Government.

(2) Each tavern shall be maintained in or close to the existing tavern as described in the Schedule hereto appended.

(3) The amount for which the privilege has been purchased, shall be payable into the Taluk Treasury in equal monthly instalments commencing from July 190 ; each instalment shall be regarded as the rent for the month in respect of which it is payable, Each month's rent shall be payable on or before the 20th of the same month on the challan prescribed for the purpose. The deposit of two months' rent made by the licensee will be taken in payment of the rents due for the last two months of the period of the lease. In the case of the tavern sold for such price per hogshead as may be accepted by the Deputy Commissioner, the amount payable for each month on account of the number of hogsheads of Beer or Porter sold, shall be paid into the Taluk Treasury in the first week of the following month, on the challan prescribed for the purpose. The security deposit of Rs. 500 shall be taken towards the amount due for the last two months of the period of the lease. Failing payment as above, the Deputy Commissioner shall at once proceed to recover the arrears together with interest at 6 per cent under the rules in force for the collection of land revenue. No remission or abatement of the Government dues shall, on any account whatever, be claimable by the licensee.

(4) The licensee shall further pay a duty of two annas for every gallon of Country Beer or Porter purchased by him.

(5) The consignment of Country Beer or Porter purchased by the licensee, shall be sent direct from the Brewery to the Amildar of the taluk. The letter of advice covering the consignment, shall be in duplicate, the original being sent to the Amildar of the taluk, and the duplicate to the Excise Commissioner. On the duty at the abovementioned rate being paid by the licensee on the prescribed challan, the Amildar shall allow the licensee to remove the consignment to his tavern upon a pass signed by the Amildar or other officer authorized on this behalf.

(6) The licensee of every tavern at the Bangalore City shall pay a registration fee under the Municpal Regulation, at the rate of Rs. 180 per annum, in advance for the period of the license for his tavern.

(7) The licensee shall use such measures as may from time to time be prescribed by Government, and provide himself with the printed forms of accounts and permits or passes for transport of Beer or Porter, which forms shall be purchased from local Excise officers.

(8) The licensee shall be bound to take over any Beer or Porter which may remain as stock in hand belonging to the out-going licensee on the 1st July 190 , in the existing tavern, paying to the latter such compensation for the same as may be fixed by the Excise Commissioner.

(9) This lease shall not be transferable by sale, gift, mortgage or otherwise without the previous sanction of the Excise Commissioner.

(10) The Vendor shall equally with the License-holder be responsible in the penalties herein set forth for breach of any of the conditions of the license.

(11) He shall sell Beer or Porter of approved quality. It may be sold to be drunk on the premises up to one reputed quart bottle at a time. It may be sold to be removed off the premises upon the prescribed special passes up to one Imperial gallon (4 seers).

(12) He shall not sell or give Beer or Porter in any quantity whatever directly or indirectly to any European non-commissioned officer or private soldier, nor to any European or East Indian woman connected with or related to, men of these classes, nor allow him, her, or them to drink Beer or Porter in his premises or grounds; he shall not permit drunkenness or disorderly behaviour in his shop or premises, and shall not suffer any gambling whatsoever therein and will not knowingly permit prostitutes or persons of notoriously bad character to meet or remain therein; he shall not wilfully harbour or conceal therein soldiers or others knowing or having reason to believe such soldiers or others to be deserters; he shall give information of suspicious characters to the Magistrate or Police officer; and he shall not sell or give Beer or Porter to any Police officer, Railway servant, or Excise officer, whilst on duty.

(13) He shall fix in a conspicuous place outside of his shop a board on which shall be legibly painted his name, vendor's name, the number of his shop, and the article he is licensed to deal in.

(14) He shall not receive any articles whatsoever in barter or pledge and payment for Beer or Porter shall be made in ready money only at one and a half rupee per Imperial gallon and proportionately for fractions thereof.

(15) The Beer or Porter sold under this license shall contain 75 per cent of malt or any of the preparations of malt and 3lbs. of good Kent hops per hogshead, and shall be of the same quality and density as purchased from the Brewer, without dilution or adulteration. The original gravity of the beer wort shall not exceed 1070 at 60° Fahrenheit. The Beer or Porter sold shall not contain more than 8 per cent alcohol by volume. The licensee will be bound to pay duty at the prescribed rate per gallon of proof spirit on all alcohol in the Beer or Porter in excess of 8 per cent by volume, besides being liable for prosecution. Samples of such Beer or Porter shall be sent duly bottled from the Brewery or tavern for examination and test whenever required by the Excise Department.

(16) Any Magistrate having local jurisdiction, or any officer acting under his warrant, or any Abkari or Excise Officer shall be allowed entry to the shop at any hour to test the Beer or Porter on the premises, and examine the shop accounts, which it shall be the duty of the License-holder and Vendor to keep and produce. Such accounts shall be true and correct, and written up daily in the prescribed forms. All condemned Beer shall be destroyed.

(17) He shall close his shop by 9 P.M., and not open it before 6 A.M., except on special permit in cases of Native festivals, etc.

(18) Beer brought for the Commissariat Department and rejected by the Military or other Departments, shall not, under any circumstances, be forwarded for sale in the tavern.

(19) The shop shall have only one door, and no window be allowed to the rear or ends of the building; the bar where the liquor is sold from, shall be opposite to the entrance door, and so situated that all persons inside

can be seen by any one passing to and fro in the street; and no second room shall be allowed to be kept open for customers.

(20) The licensee shall be bound by the rules in force, and which may be issued from time to time by Government.

8. In the case of any breach of the above conditions either by the licensee, or with his connivance and privity, by any person in his employment, or in the event of the licensee neglecting to open his tavern or to carry on his business with due care and attention, it shall be competent to the Deputy Commissioner to impose upon the licensee a fine not exceeding Rs. 10 for every such breach or neglect, or at the option of the Deputy Commissioner, to declare the money deposited with him forfeited, and to cancel the license and to re-sell the privilege or to otherwise dispose of it at the risk of the licensee; and all loss thereby caused, together with the loss accruing to Government in consequence of the licensee not carrying on his business by opening his tavern on 1st July 190 , shall be made good by him. When a license is cancelled, the rent for the whole period of the lease shall become due at once, which shall be recovered together with all losses as if they were arrears of land revenue.

9. The penalties laid down in the last preceding clause shall not exempt the licensee or his employés from prosecution for any offence committed against the Excise laws in force.

10. The license to be taken out by the purchaser of each tavern, shall be in the appended form A.

11. The Treasury chellan referred to in para 7 (3) above, shall be in the appended form B.

12. The Pass referred to in para 7 (5) above, shall be in the appended form C.

13. The special passes and accounts to be kept in the taverns, shall be in such forms as may be ordered by the Excise Commissioner.

SCHEDULE.

Name of the Locality.	Serial No. of the Tavern.	Situation of the Tavern.		Name of the present License-holder.	Consumption.				Rental.			
		Door No.	Locality.									
					Hogs-heads.	Hogs-heads.	Hogs-heads.	Hogs-heads.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.

L. ANANTASAMI RAO,
Offg. Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

BEER LICENSE A.

License for retail sale of Country Beer or Porter.

1. Register No.
2. Name of License-holder.
3. Name of Vendor.
4. Locality.

I.....Deputy Commissioner of.....District, do hereby authorize to sell by retail Country Beer or Porter on the premises No.....under the following conditions:—

I. The privilege conferred by the license extends to the sale of Country Beer or Porter brewed on the Nilgiris, or by Messrs. Heakin & Co., Kirkee, or by Messrs. Abraham and Gangadhara Chetti & Co., Bangalore, or in any other Brewery approved by Government.

II. Each tavern shall be maintained in or close to the existing tavern as described in the Schedule hereto appended.

III. The amount for which the privilege has been purchased shall be payable into the Taluk Treasury in equal monthly instalments commencing from July 190 ; each instalment shall be regarded as the rent for the month in respect of which it is payable. Each month's rent shall be payable on or before the 20th of the same month on the challan prescribed for the purpose. The deposit of two months' rent made by the licensee will be taken in pay ment of the rents due for the last two months of the period of the lease. In the case of the tavern sold for such price per hogshead as may be accepted by the Deputy Commissioner, the amount payable for each month on account of the number of hogsheads of beer or porter sold, shall be paid into the Taluk Treasury in the first week of the following month, on the challan prescribed for the purpose. The security deposit of Rs. 500 shall be taken towards the amount due for the last two months of the period of the license. Failing payment as above, the Deputy Commissioner shall at once proceed to recover the arrears together with interest at 6 per cent under the rules in force for the collection of land revenue. No remission or abatement of the Government dues shall on any account whatever, be claimable by the licensee.

IV. The licensee shall further pay a duty of two annas for every gallon of Country Beer or Porter purchased by him.

V. The consignment of Country Beer or Porter purchased by the licensee, shall be sent direct from the Brewery to the Amildar of the taluk. The letter of advice covering the consignment shall be in duplicate, the original being sent to the Amildar of the taluk, and the duplicate to the Excise Commissioner. On the duty at the abovementioned rate being paid by the licensee on the prescribed challan, the Amildar shall allow the licensee to remove the consignment to his tavern upon a pass signed by the Amildar or other officer authorized on this behalf.

VI. The licensee of every tavern at the Bangalore City shall pay a registration fee under the Municipal Regulation, at the rate of Rs. 180 per annum, in advance for the period of the license for his tavern.

VII. The licensee shall use such measures as may from time to time be prescribed by Government, and provide himself with the printed forms of accounts and permits or passes for transport of Beer or Porter, which forms shall be purchased from local Excise Officers.

VIII. The licensee shall be bound to take over any Beer or Porter which may remain as stock in hand belonging to the out-going licensee on the 1st July 190 in the existing tavern, paying to the latter such compensation for the same as may be fixed by the Excise Commissioner.

IX. This license shall not be transferable by sale, gift, mortgage or otherwise, without the previous sanction of the Excise Commissioner.

X. The vendor shall equally with the license-holder be responsible in the penatlies herein set forth for breach of any of the conditions of the license.

XI. He shall sell Beer or Porter of approved quality. It may be sold to be drunk on the premises, up to one reputed quart bottle at a time. It may be sold to be removed off the premises upon the prescribed special passes up to the limit of one Imperial gallon (4 seers).

XII. He shall not sell or give Beer or Porter in any quantity whatever directly or indirectly to any European non-commissioned officer or private soldier, nor to any European or East Indian woman connected with or related to men of these classes, nor allow him, her, or them to drink Beer or Porter in his premises or grounds ; he shall not permit drunkenness or disorderly behaviour in his shop or premises, and shall not suffer any gambling whatsoever therein and shall not knowingly permit prostitutes or persons of notoriously bad character to meet or remain therein ; he shall not wifully harbour or conceal therein soldiers or others knowing or having reason to believe such soldiers or others to be deserters ; he shall give information of suspicious characters to the Magistrate or Police officer ; and he shall not sell or give Beer or Porter to any Police officer, Railway servant, or Excise officer, whilst on duty.

XIII. He shall fix in a conspicuous place outside of his shop a board on which shall be legibly painted his name, vendor's name, the number of his shop, and the article he is licensed to deal in.

XIV. He shall not receive any articles whatsoever in barter or pledge, and payment for Beer or Porter shall be made in ready money only at one and a half rupee per Imperial gallon and proportionately for fractions thereof.

XV. The Beer or Porter sold under this license, shall contain 75 per cent of malt or any of the preparations of malt and 3 lbs. of good Kent hops per hogshead, and shall be of the same quality and density as purchased from the Brewer, without dilution or adulteration. The original gravity of the Beer wort shall not exceed 1070 at 60° Fahrenheit. The Beer or Porter sold shall not contain more than 8 per cent alcohol by volume. The licensee shall be bound to pay duty at the prescribed rate per gallon of proof spirit on all alcohol in the Beer or Porter in excess of 8 per cent by volume, besides being liable for prosecution. Samples of such Beer or Porter shall be sent duly bottled from the Brewery or tavern for examination and test whenever required by the Excise Department.

XVI. Any Magistrate having local jurisdiction or any officer acting under his warrant or any Abkari or Excise officer shall be allowed entry to the shop at any hour to test the Beer or Porter on the premises, and examine the shop accounts, which it shall be the duty of the license-holder and vendor to keep and produce. Such accounts shall be true and correct, and written up daily in the prescribed forms. All condemned Beer shall be destroyed.

XVII. He shall close his shop by 9 P. M., and not open it before 6 A. M. except on special permit in cases of Native festivals, etc.

XVIII. Beer brought for the Commissariat Department and rejected by the Military or other Departments, shall not, under any circumstances, be forwarded for sale in the tavern.

XIX. The shop shall have only one door, and no window be allowed to the reae or ends of the building, the bar where the liquor is sold from, shall be opposite to the entrance door, and so situated that all persons inside can be seen by any one passing to and fro in the street; and no second room shall be allowed to be kept open for customers.

XX. The licensee shall be bound by the rules in force, and which may be issued from time to time by Government.

XXI. In the case of any breach of the above conditions either by the licensee, or with his connivance and privity by any person in his employment, or in the event of the licensee neglecting to open his traven or to carry on his business with due care and attention, it shall be competent to the Deputy Commissioner to impose upon the licensee a fine not exceeding Rs. 10 for every such breach or neglect or at the option of the Deputy Commissioner, to declare the money deposited with him forfeited and to cancel the license and to re-sell the privilege or to otherwise dispose of it at the risk of the licensee; and all loss thereby caused, together with the loss accruing to Government in consequence of the licensee not carrying on his business by opening his tavern on 1st July 190 , shall be made good by him. When a license is cancelled, the rent for the whole period of the lease shall become due at once, which shall be recovered together with all losses as if they were arrears of land revenue.

XXII. The penalties laid down in the last preceding clause, shall not exempt the licensee or his employès from prosecution for any offence committed against the Excise laws or rules in force.

XXIII. This license shall continue in force till the 190 and no longer.

Dy. Comr. *Dt.*

COUNTERPART ENGAGEMENT.

We the undersigned, the abovenamed License-holder and Vendor a nd others connected with the Beer Tavern at the for ourselves and our heirs, legal representatives, and assigns, hereby agree to all the terms and conditions written, printed and expressed in the above license.

Signed, sealed and delivered in our presence at the District Deputy Commissioner's office, this

Witnesses

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2 *License-holder and Vendor.*

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B 4] MYSORE EXCISE DEPARTMENT.

Beer Chellan.

No.

To be retained by Licensee.

Dated.....190

To

The Treasury Officer of the.....Taluk,

Please receive Rupees.....
only on account of the following items of revenue :—

	Rs.	As.	P.
1. Duty at two annas per gallon of Country Beer or Porter ..			
2. Rental for the month of.....190 ..			
Total ...			

Signature of the Licensee or Agent.

Received and credited the above amount in the Treasury Account on the.....190

Seal and Signature of Treasury Officer.

Shroff

Nagadi Gumasta.

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B 4] MYSORE EXCISE DEPARTMENT

Beer Chellan.

No.

To be Sent to the Excise Commissioner by Licensee.

Dated.....190

To

The Treasury Officer of the.....Taluk.

Please receive Rupees.....
only on account of the following items of revenue :—

	Rs.	As.	P.
1. Duty at two annas per gallon of Country Beer or Porter ..			
2. Rental for the month of.....190 ..			
Total ..			

Signature of the Licensee or Agent.

Received and credited the above amount in the Treasury Account on the.....190

Seal and Signature of Treasury Officer.

Shroff

Nagadi Gumasta.

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B 4] MYSORE EXCISE DEPARTMENT.

Beer Chellan.

No.

To accompany the "C" Account to the District Treasury.

Dated.....190

To

The Treasury Officer of the.....Taluk.

Please receive Rupees.....
only on account of the following items of revenue :—

	Rs.	As.	P.
1. Duty at two annas per gallon of Country Beer or Porter...			
2. Rental for the month of.....190...			
Total			

Signature of the Licensee or Agent.

Received and credited the above amount in the Treasury Account on the.....190

Seal and Signature of Treasury Officer.

Shroff

Nagadi Gumasta.

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To The Controller
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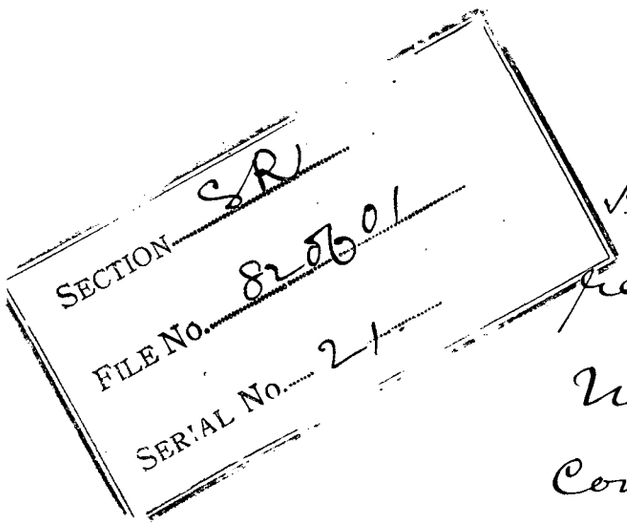

I Has the honor to request that notn. No 593/475-95 Dy 30/6/95 containing revised rules for the sale of Country been tavern appended to Govt. Proc. No 582-92/475-95 Dy 30/6/95 sent to Press today may be kindly caused to be published in 3 successive issues of the Gazette in part III & that 50 Copies ~~be sent~~ of the notn be sent to this office such number being

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